

| | No. 8445 號五十四百四千 | 八館 日一初月二十 | ·年十绪光 HONGK | ONG, FRIDAY, JANUARY 16th, | 1885. 五年月 | 號六十月正英格香 [I | PRIOE \$21 PER MEN'H |
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| | SHIPPING. | INTIMATIONS. | BANKS. | AUCTION. | NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES. | INTIMÁTIONS. | INTIMATIONS. |
| ٠. | ARRIVALS. | | THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED. | | FROM GLASGOW, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. | CITY HALL, | NOTICE. |
| • | January 15, Ningro, Hritish steamer, 791, Wm. Potts, Whampon 15th January, General.— | ROYAL SVO. 150 PP.—PRICE, \$1.00. HONGKONG ALMANACK | INCORPORATED IN LONDON on 18th July, 1884. UNDER THE COMPANIES ACT 1862 to 1863. | 1 Kooms, Uneen a Kond, on | Porism Commander, having arrived from the | HONGKONG | BY GENERAL DESIRE, |
| | January 15, De BAY, British steamer, 1,083, J. J. Lee, Whampos 15th January, Ballast.— | 1 8 8 5 | CAPITAL £2,000,000 in 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH. | WEDNESDAY, the 21st instant, at Noon, On Account or the Concerned. | Informed that all Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk, into the | has the honour to announce that HE WILL GIVE | MR. B. C. STEPHENSON'S POPULAR COMEDY, "IMPULSE" will be repeated at the |
| • • • • | Adamson, Bell & Co. | BRIEF SUMMARY OF CONTENTS. Tables showing the time of High Water at longkong, Saigon, Haiphong, and Bangkok. Tidal Constants for all principal ports North | LONDON BANKERS: Union Bank of London, Limited. | 4,622 Tins of the China Sugar Refining Company's Q Quality WHITE SUGAR, Terms of Salu.—Cash on Delivery. | Godowns of the Undersigned, at Wanchai, No. 3, behind the premises known as "Blue Buildings" whonce and/or from the wharves or | (Under distinguished patronage of H.E. Sir GEORGE FERGUSON BOWEN: G.C.M.G.,) | THEATRE ROYAL, CITY HALL, - TO MORROW (SATURDAY), the 17th January, 1885. |
| | 12th, and Swatow 14th, Tex.—BUTTER- of | Singapore. Meteorological Observations for 1884. | RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED | J. M. ARMSTRONG, Auctioneer Hongkong, 15th January, 1885. 177 | onts delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless notice to the contrary be given before | A GRAND CONCERT | The Plan of the Theatre is now open at Messra. Kully & Walsh's, where seats may |
| · . | January 15, GLENARTNEY, British str., 1,400, C. Sommers, Shanghai via Swatow 14th Jan., C. | Astronomical and other Notes—Mean Time, onjugation. Opposition. Elongation, Right Astronomical Declination, Siderial Time, Average | ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Months' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum At 6 Months' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum | NOTICES OF FIRMS. | 10 A.M., TO-MORROW. No claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining | ST. ANDREW'S HALL, CITY, HALL, | be booked. Hongkong, 12th January, 1885. [181] |
| | January 15, Nam-Vian, British steamer, 472, A. | Eclipses for 1885 with special reference to longkong Observations. | At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum Current Accounts kept on terms which may be learnt on application. | NOTICE | after the 19th instant, will be subject to rent. No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by | | THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM. SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. |
| | -A. R. MARTY. January 15, Hypaspes, British steamer, 1,890, | Notes on Local Tides. Woosung Bar Signals. Hongkong Civil. Judicial, and Military Es- | J MELVILLE MATSON, | THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of Mr. J. C. OPSTELTEN in our FIRM Coased on the 31st December, 1884. | | when he will be kindly assisted by LADIES AND GENTLEMEN AMATEURS. | "KONG BENG," |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | G. Scrivener, London 26th Nov., and Singa-ta- pore 9th Jan., Mails and General—P. & O. | ablishments. Original Descriptive Account of Hongkong Statistics of Hongkong Population, Expendi- | NOTICE. | MESSRS. ALBERT BALLER & C. LUGO. are admitted as PARTNERS from this date. F. ENGLER & Co. | TOCONSIGNEESOFOPTIONAL CARGO, EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "ACHILLES," | <u> PART L</u> | Captain R. Jones, will be despatched for the above Ports TO-MORROW, the 17th inst., |
| erspress of the contraction of t | CLEARANCES. | ure and Shipping. Churches, Schools, Religious, Scientific, Com- nercial and Social Institutions in the Colony. | ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION IN LIQUIDATION. A LL HOLDERS of NOTES of the | Saigon, 1st January, 1885. [71 | FROM LIVERPOOL. CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the | 1.—Overture Fidelio," (ar- ranged for BEETHOVEN. | at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to Y-UEN FAT HONG, Agents. |
| + 1 | 15TH JANUARY. | Table of Lesal Shares showing their original value, present price Capital, Amount Paid, Dividend last declared, and yield calculated at | TION (Hongkong Branch) are hereb | R. H. C. EDUAR- EYER, of Ham- | BUTTERFIELD & SWIKE, agents | on two pianos)) 2.—Part Song { "Good night, } HATTON. beloved." } | Hongkong, 15th January, 1885. [178] FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL. |
| | Lacrtes, British str., for Singapore. | Signals at the Peak. Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea. | of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the Notes deposited. | " I Takanant histography hald the how Hyper her the late | Hongkong, 10th January, 1889. | GENTLEMEN AMATEURS. 3.—SoloPiano- Sonata in C BEETHOVEN. | "GLENARTNEY." |
| - | DEPARTURES. January 15, Fokien, British str., for Swatow. January 15, Anton, German str., for Holhow. | Postal Guide, specially revised. Complete List of Local Stamp Duties: Wages Tables from \$1 to \$200 per month | HOLDERS of NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, schedule, in duplicate, giving the date of Issue | LEMKE continues to sign per procuration. | CONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer "ACHILLES." | MONSIEUR G. SAUVLET. 4.—Serenade" La Serenata"BRAGA. | Captain Sommers, will be despatched as above TO MORROW, the 17th instant, at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to |
| ٠ . | January 15, Monokur, British str., for Bang- | Excelding in dollars for every day. Interest Tables—from 2 to 12 per cent. in \$100. | at the Office of the Officertal Bank Con | Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. [69 | charged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will | (With violin accompaniment by | JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. + Hongkong, 16th January, 1885. [182] |
| • | January 15, Halloone, British steamer, for Hoihow. January 15, Marke, Gorman str., for Kelung. | Fire Signals. Licenses, Registration Fees and Duties. And a mass of other Local Information not otherwise accessible in any other form. | PORATION, Queen's Road, Hongkong. For the OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR OF THE | NOTICE. NOTICE. NOTICE. NAME: NOTICE. | for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after | 5.—SoloPinno- (Rondo for two CHOPIN. | STEAM TO SHANGHAI. THE P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Steamship |
| , · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | January 15, Marie, German bark, for Bangkok. January 15, VILLARS, French corv., for Keling. | KELLY & WALSH, Publishers. Hongkong, 10th January, 1885. | ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION By his Attorneys J. MELVILLE MATSON, | from the 1st instant and the name or Style of | will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. | MRS. JUST and MONSIEUR SAUVLET. 6.—Song ("Alla 'stella Leopoldo foglie d'au- Milliotti.") | "HYDASPES." will leave for the above place TO-MORROW, the 17th inst, at Noon. |
| | PASSENGERS. | BREWER SUPPLY-OF | I TOWALD TAX TOWALD TO THE TAX TO | 48 Co. W. R. LOXLEY. Hongkong, 14th January, 1885. | Hongkong, 10th January, 1885. [148] FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND | MR. HIRST. 7.—Violin Solo Reverie"CH. DANGLA | A. McIVER, Superintendent. |
| | Per Lucrtes, str., from Shanghai, &c.—Mr. Meore, and 800 Chinese Per Nam-vian, str., from Haiphong.—2 Chi- | Called Back. John Bull and His Island. John Bull's Neighbour. | HONGKONG&SHANGHAIBANKIN CORPORATION. | NOTICE | SINGAPORE. | HERR VON WILLE. INTERVAL OF 10 MINUTES. | DOUGLAS STEAMSHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. |
| | nese. Per Glenariney, str., from Shanghai, &c.— Messrs, E. R. Belilios and A. S. Cohen and ser- | Sarah Barnum. MUSIC COLLECTIONS. Song Folio. Dance Folio. | RESERVE FUND | between the Undersigned Ceases Thi | of Cargo, by her are hereby informed that | PART II. PART II. PART II. | FOR SWATOW, AMOY, AND FOOCHOW. |
| | vant, and 749 Chinese. Per Hydaspes, str., for Hongkong.—From London.—Messrs. Reper and W. M. Muirhead. | Ideal Songs, Gems of Dance. Songs for Baritone & Bass, Folio of Music. Operatio Songs, | RESERVE LIABILITY OF PRO- 7.500.00 | the FIRM of HUGHES & LEGGE 1 | are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the | 9.—Recit. and ("King Réné's) HENRY Romance. Daughter" SMART. | "NAMOA" Captain Pitman, will be despatched for the above Ports on SUNDAY, the 18th instant, |
| | From Gibraltar.—Lieut. Ferreira. From Brindisi.—2 Chinese. From Colombo.—Roy. W. T. Barber. From Bombay.—Mr. J. Barges and | New OPERAS. Beggar Student, Doctor Alcantara. FALEA. | COURT OF DIRECTORS. | E. JONES HUGHES. Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. [7 | wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unles notice to the contrary be given before Noon | 10Solo Piano- taisie Le Thalberg. | at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Fassage, apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co., |
| • | Brother. From Penang.—2 Chinese. From Singapore.—Rev. W. Armitage, Mr. and Mrs. Poate and 2 corvants, and 20 Chinese. For Shanghai. | Glee Books for Men's Voices. Yolin and Piano Music "Social Hours," "Evenings at Home." | H. L. Dalrymple, Esq. A. McIver, Esq. | EFERRING to the Notice of the | | MONSIEUM G. BEC 1221. | General Managers. Hongkong, 15th January, 1885. |
| • | —From London.—Mrs. and Miss Drummond, Mr. and Mrs. Hay, Mr. and Mrs. Stalman and daughter, Messrs. Norris, Stamford, and R. D. | Very Handsome Photograph Frames. Large Quantities of Sea-side Library. | H. Hoppins, Esq. M. Grote, Esq. Hon. W. Keswick M. E. Sassoon, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. C. D. Bottomley, Esq. | DISSOLUTION of the FIRM of HUGHE & LEGGE, I will Continue the Business SHABE and GENERAL BROKER in my ow | JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. | 11.—PartSong. {"Warum bist } MARSCHNE: GENTLEMEN AMATEURS. | 34.10.131.12.1.10.13 |
| | Brown, and 8 Chinese. From Brindisi.—One Chinese. For Yokohama.—From Melbourne.— Messrs. King and Puddy. From Singapore.— | American Squeezer, Playing Cards with Jokes Baby Organs. | MANAGER. | name from this date. WILLIAM LEGGE, Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. | Houseons, road partners, 1993, | $ \begin{array}{c c} & & & \\ & & & \\ 12\text{SoloPiane-} & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & & \\ & & \\ & & & \\ & $ | (Calling at POET DARWIN and QUEENSLAND POETS, and taking through Cargo to NEW ZEALAND, NEW CALEDONIA, TASMA- |
| | Mr. S. E. Furness Wood. DEPARTED. Per Airlie, str., for Australia.—Dr. Stockwell. | Prang's Birthday Cards. New Fine Art Goods. Sweet Caporal Cigarettes. | Shanghai—Ewen_Cameron, Esq. London Bankers—London & County Ban | 1 6 | COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES MARITIMES. | | NIA, and FIJI). THE Steamship |
| ⊎ F | Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Cottell, Messrs. J. Slade, M. D. Armstrong, and P. H. Nicolson, Mrs. Lee Man, 7 Europeans and 46 Chinese in steerage. | Sweet Canoral Tobacco. | HONGKONG—INTEREST ALLOWED. On Current Deposit Account at the rate 2 per cent per Annum on the daily balance. | of WING to the Dissolution of the FIRM HUGHES & LEGGE, I will continue the Business of Share and Sengral Brown | | and COLLARD will be used by Monsies SAUVLET, which is now on SALE | or in the T. T. T. a. will be deemstehed as shove |
| | REPORTS. & The British steamer Glenariney reports from | Wills's Birds Eye. W BREWER, Queen's Road. | For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum: For 6 months 4 per Cent. per Annum. | and Auctioneen in my own name from the | "INDUS" | Price of Admission, \$2.00. | Parcels, all of which must be sent to our Office, will be received until Four P.M. of the 20th instant. |
| · | Shanghei and Swutow on the 14th inst. and had moderate monsoon and overcast weather. | BOWRINGTON FOUNDRY, EAST POINT. | For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS: DISCOUNTED. CREDITS granted on approved Securities. | Hongkong, 1st January, 1385 | 29 from London, Antwerp and Borderaty, information with above Steamer, are heraby information. | A alm of the St Andrew's Hall may be se | Contents and Value of the parcels must be |
| | The British steamer Lacries reports left Shanghai on the 10th inst., Amoy on the 13th, and Swatow on the 14th, and had moderate mon- | A, G. GORDON & Co., | Dusiness transacted. Duarts cranted on London, and the c | hief Firm | whence delivery may be obtained immediate | 137 FORD & CO. S. | This Steamer has excellent First Class Accommodation for Passengers. For Freight or Pussage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., |
| | NAGASAKI_SHIPPING. | Ation of Engineering Work both after and ashore, on most reasonable from Punct Ality and First Class Workmansh | America, China and Japan. | Rowrington Foundry. | optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unle intimation is received from the Cousigne before 2 P.M., TO-DAY (Sunday), requesting | 905 | Hongkeng, 15th January, 1885. 180 |
| . ' | 27, Kamtehatka, Russian str., from H'kong. | | of NOTICE. | NOTICE. THE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY | to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by t | THE THEATRE ROYAL, | ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN. |
| 7 | 28, Ingraban, German str., from Hongkong. 29, Thibet, British str., from Hongkong. 30, Nanzing, British str., from Shanghai. | and BOILERS of STEAM SHIPS, CASTING &c., &c., &c. Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. | RULES OF THE HONGKO SAVINGS BANK. | NG MR. FREDERIC DELANO HTTO in our Firm in Hongkong, China, and elsewh Ceased on the 30th June last. | H Goods remaining unclaimed after SATU | DO CATEMY THEATER BOMBAY | 754 Piculs SANDALWOOD. 3,954 , FIREWOOD. 86 , MANGROVE BARK. |
| · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | 30. Johann Carl, British bark, from Amoy. 31. Pelham, British brig, from Amoy. 31. Tetuan, British bark, from Amoy. 31. Dorothy, British bark, from Shanghai. | UTLER, PALMER & C Wine Shippers | conducted by the Hongroup suc- Shop | l be RUSSELL & Coghai Hongkong, 3rd January, 1885. | [90] per package per diem. All Claims must be sent in to me before the 19th January, 1885, or they will not | PATRONS: TRH. The Duke and Duchess of Connauch Translatory. The Marchis of Ripon. | Ex S. S. "CRUSADER" FROM SANDAKAN. Apply to ADMINISTRA VARRENCE & Co. |
| —₹ | January— 1, Teheran, British str., from Yokohama. 1, Ingeberg, British str., from Shanghai. | OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMB MADRAS, LIAHORE, KURRACHEE, &c. | Banking Corporation, on their premise Hongkong. Business hours on week-days to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—The Assets of the Hongkong and St. | NOTICE. | recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected. | His Excellency Sir James Fergusson, &c., &c. | Hengkong, 16th January, 1885. [184] |
| · • · — | 2, Ingo, German str., from Shanghai. 2, Welle, German str., from Shanghai. 2, Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., from Yokohama. | Their Representatives in China- Messrs. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkon | hai Banking Corporation will form a d | POOL OF A DITECTION THE ONLY FAM. | Go., Hongkong, 11th January, 1885. | ILL, if possible, give two performance of the first performance will be | JUST LANDED EX'S. S. "BRECONSHIRE," |
| | 3, Genkai Maru, Jap. str., from Shanghai. December——————————————————————————————————— | " SIEMSSEN & Co. and LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Shangh: Call attention to some of the items consigner | ai. 3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$2 one time will not be received. No deposit to may deposit more than \$1.500 in any one year. | sitor Continue the Business of the said Firm unstant the name and Style of | OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. ONSIGNEES per Company's Steel | per A4 the accord performance will be presen | |
| | 27, Hampshire, British str., for Hongkong. 28, Genkai Maru, Japanese str., for Shanghai 28, Moray Pritish str., for Kobe. | their same by this well-known houses- | 4.—Deposits may be made on behalf of tions, of Trusts, &c., in addition to the &c resitor's own account. | De Interest and Responsibility of the orig | | THE ORIENTAL BURLESQUE | GOOSE BOLSTER, 2 WHITE DOWN PIL- LOWS 1 PAIR SUPER BUTH WHITE WITNEY |
| | 29, Kamtehatka, Russian str., for Kobe. 30, Thibet, British str., for Kobe. 30, Greatham Hall, British str., for Shangha | STILL HOCK. CHAMPAGNE, Royal Wine, as supp | lied a dollar may do so by affixing clean ten | entirely on 30th June, 1367, when his Caparent was withdrawn. | will lie at Consignees' risk. The Cargo will ready for delivery from Craft or Godown | be BROWN AND THE BIRRINGS. | ······································ |
| | 31, Ingraban, German str., for Hongkong. 31, Satsuma, British bark, for Shanghai. 31, Nanzing, British str., for Korea. | to Her Majesty. SHERRY, Selected White Seal and Amor These Sherries are also shipped in Jars. | oso. With ten clean stamps the depositor was | Hongkong, 1st January, 1885. | and after the 10th January, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 16th inst will be subject to Rent. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agent | Plan of the Theatre may be geen | and above BEDSTEAD. |
| - | January— 1, Pelham, British bark, for Chefoo. 1, Teheran, British str., for Hongkong. | INVALIDS' PORT WINE. SCOTCH WHISKY free from fusel oil | \$100 or more at their credit may at their | option VILLOID. | Hongkong, 9th January, 1885. | PENINSULAR & ORIENTAL STE | No. 14, ARBUTHNOT ROAD. Hongkong, 16th January, 1885. [188] |
| | 3. Welle, German str., for Shanghai. -3. Genkai Maru, Japanese str., for Kobe. 3. Nagoya Maru, Jap. str., for Shanghai. | Prices on application to either of the above Fir | rms. 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interes | Canton Mr. R. Comber and the Charles J. Lafrentz are authorized to jointly for Herbert Dent & Co. by Pro- | Sign FROM MIDDLESBRO, LONDON, Al | NOTICE TO PASSENGERS. | AYALA & Co., REIMS. |
|) r | VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGRONG. | SAM EING STULTZ, JUI | N R Stamps of any values. | t per HERBERT DENT & C | • SINGAPORE. | REMOVAL OF QUARANTINE A ITALIAN PORTS & MARSEILLES | AIALA & OU., |
| • | (Corrected to Date.) Elizabeth Liverpoolvia Cardiff.July & Gustav & Oscar. Cardiff. Sept. | Best Materials and a Perfect Fit Guarante AT MODERATE PRICES. | with a Pass-Book which must be presente | gratis d with HONGKONG, CANTON, AND MA | Rickard, Commander, having arrived from | 111- 1 - Parished and Parsongers can | now |
| | Chardernagor & Penarth Sept. | Dealer in CHINESE SILK of all kinds 13 PITH HATS, MATTING and BAMEGO BLI 17 Has always on hand a very fine Selection | NDS. not make any entries themselves in their on Rooks, but should send them to be written. | Pass- en up NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS | of the undersigned, at Wanchai, No. 3, be | hind via Brindisi. | |
| | Melbrek London Sept : Dartschland Cardiff Sept : | 25 Of Various kinds of 27 SILK GOODS AND EMBROIDERING 11 Wholesale Manufacturer of SILK COATS | ES. January and beginning of July. and 10.—Covers containing Pass-Books, Re | THE THIRTY-SEVENTH ORDIN. HALF-YEARLY MEETING SHAREHOLDERS in the Company w | or and/or from the wharves or boats delivery be obtained. Ontional cargo will be forwarded on, u | Hongkong, 18th January, 1885. | [165] THE |
| • | Thiorya New York Oct. Thiorya Newport Oct. Birnham Wood Penarth Nov. | MANUFACTURER OF Best Split and Every Kind of | tances, and generally, correspondence as business of the Bank will, if marked On | to the Queen's Road, on WEDNESDAY, the Hong- February, at There o'clock in the Ar | notice to the contrary be given before N TO DAY | company, | OF THE ABOVE FIRM. |
| | New City New York Nov. Hindostan Cuxhaven Nov. Yorkshire (a.) London via H'burg Nov. | 13 ALSO RATTAN CHAIRS, COUCHES, & | 6. free of Postage or Registration Fces | warded NOON, for the purpose of receiving a Rep by the Directors together with a Statement of and Accounts, declaring a Dividend, and ele | after the 16th inst., will be subject to rent. | OTICE is hereby given that FI | pamk i |
| | H.M.S. A'memnon.PlymouthNov. Claymore (s.)LondonNov. | ON A KUNG. PHOTOGRAPA | | omand, The TRANSFER BOOKS of the stion of the thing of the strong of the | Agents. | and Six per cent, on Shareholder's C | \$21.00 Per Dozen Pints. |
| *. ' | J. V. TroopNew YorkNov. Radnorshire (a.)LondonDec. | 25 and the Public generally that he has see 8 the assistance of an experienced Euro a Operator in Mr. BOBERT DOUGLAS. A | pean his Pass-Book are necessary. 12.—All documents connected with the | By Order of the Board of Directors, T. ARNOLI | Hongkong, 9th January, 1885 UNION LINE. | WARRANTS will be Payable at the E KONG AND SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORA on and after the 12th instant. | Solo Agents. |
| | Wilna Cardiff Dec. Stentor (s.) Liverpool Dec. Bergloe (s.) London Dec. | -10 Artistic - Portraiture 18 Well Khown 111 U | oduce Stamp Duty. | Tanalana 15th Tanapar 1285 | or the FROM HAMBURG, LONDON, AN | For the North China Insurance Company, Limited J. KENNARD DAV Secretary. |), |
| | AMOY DISTRICT. LOCAL NOTICE TO MARINERS, | Has a Larger, Choicer, and more Comp | T. JACKSON Chief Man | Benefit of the CREDITORS of the E of LI KWAI SHANG alias LI | MAN SINGAPORE. | Shanghai, 7th January, 1885. CHINA SUGAR REFINING COMP | Patients on and after the 16th instant. |
| - | No. 19. QUEMOY SPIT BUOY, DIS- | to be purchased at his Studio or M | only be commenced on the let May, 1834. Seers, For the Hongkong and Shanghai | BANK. CHIM alias LI PIN PUI, lately to as the "CHEONG HING." | CASTELLO." Capt. Chandler, having arrived from the Ports Consigness of Cargo are heroby requ | above LIMITED. lested DEDENBURE LOAN FOR \$140.00 | TATE TE TO A PET ENG |
| | APPEARANCE OF. TOTICE is hereby given that the Que: | Kelly & Walsh's Store. Instantaneous Views, Groups and moy Traits of different sizes taken daily. STUDIO ICE HOUSE LANE. | and the state of t | Estate will be held pursuant to the | above to send in their Bills of Lading to the Using the signed for countersignature and to take | mme- | THE TABLE of ARRIVALS and DEPAR |
| <u>\</u> | A new buoy will be placed as soon as posseither on the shoal patch formerly marked | nible NOTICE OF REMOVAL. | Hongkong, 26th April, 1884 CHRISTMAS CAKES, | the Registrar of the Supreme Court Court House of Victoria in the Colony of | at the Will be at once landed and stored at Consider of risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance v | eamer Slat December, 1884. will be presentation at the Office of the Hono | KONG Anglo-Chinese Calendar can be had at 10 Centres of the contract of the co |
| | immediately off the end of the Spit. notice will be given of the place in which buov is laid. | the BUSINESS has This Day been | RE- | Noon when the Trustees will submit a | State: Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to | Japan before Hongkong, on and after that date. JARDINE, MATHESON & General Agents. | " Daily Press" Office. |
| | In whatever position the buoy is placed ves should not pass between it and Quemoy Isla H. J. MEADE. | and Bank. | Can be obtained on application to the | Hono of the Property outstanding specifying cause of its being so outstanding and of | Noon, TO-MORROW, the 10th instant. All Claims against the steamer must be sented to the Undersigned on or before the | o pre- o 19th A N ENGLISHMAN, of long expe | rience WANTED-A COMFORTABLE |
| | Approved: J. McLEAVY BROWN, | for taking Instantaneous Portraits, and a Scale adapted for the Langest G. or Theatrical Pictures. | Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. | LET. Receipts and Payments thereout made, a [54] Creditors may attend and examine such ment and compare the receipts with th MGES ments. And the Meeting will deck | State instant, or they will not be recognised. RUSSELL & Agents. | co., be glad to Undertake ACCOUNTAN other WORK. Thoroughly satisfactor ferences to present Employers and Others | T or in a good position, to Rent by the year re-Possession as soon as possible. Renty E. R. N. |
| | Commissioner of Customs. Custom House, Amoy, 7th January, 1885. | Hongkong, let January, 1884. | COUGHS ASTRMA BRONCHITIS, DIF | resolution whether any and what part said produce of the Estate (After make arring's reasonable deduction for future conting | ding a | Address F. G., Care of Office of this | Office of time Taber. |
| | T. ALGAR AND COMPAN HOUSE AND ESTATE AGENT RENTS COLLECTED: | FOR IMPORT AND EXPORT | by the Medical Faculty). No other re half so effective. One Lozenge alone | mended shall be divided amongst the Creditors. medy is Dated this 9th day of Jenuary, 1885. R. BUSCHMANN, Trustees | Estate CHOICE PORCELAIN WARE, DIN | ats. WANTED | A 5 on 6 ROOMED HOUSE on the Hitt |
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HONGKONG, JANUARY 16TH 1385.

Amonger the papers laid on the table of the Legislative Council on Wednesday was a circular from the Secretary of State for the Colonies enclosing a memorandum relative to the Colonial and Indian Exhibition to be held in London in the year 1886, and Her

arranged under one Alphabet in the strictest Majesty's Commission for the organisation of the exhibition. Lord DEBBY recommends the undertaking to the most favourable con- will proceed to Egypt, and after visiting Jerusasideration of the local Government, and relies | lem, will go to Europe and thence to the United with confidence on Sir Grorge Bowen's personal efforts to secure a worthy representation of the Colony under his Government. His Lordship says further :-- " I canis substantially true, and that the official statenot doubt that the Government and people of Hongkong will share my satisfaction at high speed that she failed to answer her holm learning that this important undertaking satisfactorily; twelve knots, if I remember will have the advantage of the personal superintendence of the Prince of Warrs whose administrative capacity is as well the ship could be worked satisfactorily, and that above that point her movements were beyond known to you as the warm interest with which His Royal, Highness regards all matters connected with the Colonial Em-The first idea, that occurs to one on

A description of the Festivals, Fasts, &c., reading these papers is that Hongkong has little or nothing to exhibit. The island has Comparative Tables of Money, Weights, &c. been described as a place which produces nothing, but this, with our growing manufactures, has caused to be an accurate description. We can show very good refined sugar, excellent rum, cordage and ropes, and before the date of the exhibition glass may be added to the list and probably other

goods-all these being of European manufacture, besides which there are the soy into the tea' in Coylon should be commencing, and preserved fruit industries and other nor though money should be becoming increa. China Express of the 12th ultimo:

native undertakings which might fells be re singly available—see the advertisement elsewhere The Agamemnon, Captain S. Long native undertakings which might fitly be represented. Still it must be admitted that making the most of our manufactures and will be between the following elevens, represent. industries, Hongkong, if she relied on these ing the Hongkony Cricket Club and the officers alone, would be able to make but a small H. G. Rice (Capt.) H. E. Angier. show in a large exhibition. Nevertheless we. think some effort ought to be made to have Hongkong worthily represented. In these days; when the federation of the empire is becoming a political watch-word, this impertant, though small, outpost ought not to C. U. Stuart. adopt a policy of self-effacement, Lord DERBY speaks of the exhibition as being of " the Products, Manufactures, and Resources a.m. to-morrow, and the Band of the Buffs will play to-morrow afternoon by kind permission of of Her Majesty's Colonial and Indian Empire." In the Queen's Commission the de-The troops in the French chartered transport Canton do not appear to like the service. It scription is somewhat broader. After reciting that it has been represented "that it seems that on the voyage from Algeria to Singais desirable that an Exhibition of the Propore, and whilst nearing Port Said, two soldiers of the Legion Etrangère jumped overboard and ducts, Manufactures, and Arts of Our were immediately shot dead by the sentinel onduty. On account of this incident the men were not al-

Colonial and Indian dominions shall be held in London during the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and eighty-six," the commission goes on to express Her Majesty's wish "that such Exhibition shall afford full and suitable representation of the Agriculture, Commerce, Arts, and Industries of Our said dominions beyond the sens, and that Our Colonial and Indian subjects shall take part in such Exhibition." Under the heading of commerce a very interesting lot of exhibits might be collected from Hongkong, and the result would probably be an increased demand for many of the less known articles which are dealt in in the trade of Hongkong. Most, if not all, of these have already been shown in the China courts at the various exhibitions which have been held a revolver, which luckily missed them in different parts of the world; similar statements might be made probably with reference to all the articles sent from the

other colonies, but this does not detract from

the advantage of showing them again, sur-

But this is not all .- In the memorandum whom the presentation came as a surprise acsubmitted for the consideration of the local Government it is stated that "His Royal honour conferred upon him in feeling terms.

The following is the address:— Highness especially desires that careful statistics of each colony, carrying the information to 1885, should be prepared in a clear and readable form so as to render this valuable information easily understood by the working classes of this country. Maps specially prepared for the information of the public, should also, as far as possible, be prominently shown in the various Courts. It mentioned, and representing the I.O.G.T. in Hongkong, Currie and Co.), two of the Monarch Line, and is hoped that these statistics, as well as the linearied as many of the asteom in which we hold two of the Allan Line. maps on a reduced scale, will be largely you, and also to show our approciation of the valuable made use of in the catalogues." We think that it is incumbent on the local Government to comply with this request and have a full and accurate account of the colony prepared. and accurate account of the colony prepared.

The series of photographs ordered by Sir of series at the money that the series of photographs ordered by Sir of series at the Hong the gan, so that it is surprising that a portion this has been not only to relieve the stringency and in consequence they have been unable to kong flora. It will serve a good purpose until a lof the public should be under the impression produce the large floral crimson bracts which descriptive list of additions is published, a work that the alguals indicate strong wind in the JOHN POPE HENNESSY at the time of the Foundation Stone of our order here, has been the the exchange rate down to a very low level.

visit of the Princes will no doubt prove of or prosperity, and to bring such to a testimony has

The Emperor of Germany has conferred to the provential pr value in this connection if they are still in | been the most sincers wish of all. Melbourne, & Brisbane. a presentable condition. In an account of the colony interesting mention might also London Messrs. Bates, Hendy & Co.
San Franco. Mr. L. P. Fisher, 21, Merchants' and Meteorological Departments, which is have been under your direction. not of mere local interest out of general

scientific value, more especially as it deals Hongkong, Chius, January, 1885.

with comparatively unworked ground. Spe-We (Straits Times) learn that another local Marine Insurance Company is about to be startdum of the woods of the various colonies rance Co.

cial mention is also made in the memoran-

blocks to Mauila or other places in the neigh-

digenous to the colony and the various kinds

here are other old China hands at home wh

The delivery of the English mail was begun

The French corvette Villars, Captain Vivielle,

Buffs, has resigned his appointment of Aide-de-

camp to His Excellency Lieut.-General Sargent.

We learn that Mr. B. C. Mosby, Vice-Consul

The voyage of the Agamemnon to Gibraltar

appears (says Truth) to have proved conclusively

that the worst that has been said about the ship

ments in defence of her were quite unfounded.

We were told that it was only when going at a

rightly, being the limit suggested. The truth

seems to be however, that on her first voyage,

eight knots was about the highest speed at which

calculation or control. - Even the Admiralty can-

in its palmiest days." The Ceylon Observer

remarks on this :- " No wonder though 'a rush

The Cricket Match for to-day and to-morrow

W. Watson-Pike, A.M.D. H. St. D. Jarrett)

B. C. Hodder (Capt.) "Audacions."

R. C. Prothero Williams. H. E. Goldfinch lays.

W. O. Lyne, "Flying Fish." Visco. Dursley \ "Cleops-A. P. Comber \ tra."

C. P. Lloyd

N. H. Vertue B. R. Mitford

E. Parry

like slaves. The Straits Times which is res-

ponsible for the above statement, says that the

Canton, with 1,200 men of the Legion Etrangere,

arrived at Singapore on Sunday, the 4th inst.,

day night eight men jumped overboard and

swam ashore; one of them, who is an Italian,

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Capt. Maturin, R.A.

for the United States, will leave here to-morrow

tunes are associated.

at 2.25 yesterday afternoon.

left here vesterday for Kelung.

and their building stones and marbles. Although Hongkong will never be able to export timber and her export of granite is be a full Admiral, his ship's company, presented people to poison the French. never likely to consist of more than paving an admiral's flag to him, which he was blamed by the present Board of Admiralty for accepting. Am I too sanguine in supposing that their bourhood, still a very interesting collection lordships will express the same disapprobation might be made of the different woods inat the recent demonstrations on board the Minotaur, on the occasion of the Duke of Edinburgh hauling his flag down?" -

of granite found here. On the whole, although the Hongkong court, if it he es-A largely attended meeting was held at noon on the 8th inst., in the Exchange Room, Singa. tablished, will necessarily be a small one, we pore, to consider a proposal for the establishment think it is the duty of the colony to do its of a local Fire Insurance Company. The chairman (Mr. Thes. Scott); in a short speech, exbest to promote the success of an undertakplained the object of the meeting, and those ing of so much importance to the Colonial present being in favour of the formation empire. If it be decided to participate in of a company, the election of a Provisional the exhibition it will be desirable that a Committee by ballot was proceeded with. the following gentlemen being chosen:strong local committee should be appointed Messrs. Thes. Scott, W. G. Greig, T. Cathas soon as possible, as considerable time is bertson, T. Sohst, Hon. A. Currie, T. S. Thomson, T. C. Bognardt, Hon G. T. Addis, W. required for successful organisation, and Dougal, J. Burkinshow, and G. Edgar. It was the exhibition is to be held in the early part proposed and carried, that the following Chinese gentlemen be added to the Committee: Messrs. Wee Boon Tek, Ong Kew Hoh, and Quah Beng be held in Tokio on the subject. These proto be made at the other end. It is stated Hong. The meeting concluded with a vote of that the Secretary to the Royal Commission thanks to the Chairman .- Straits Times.

will be prepared to act on behalf of any colong which may not find it convenient to apwho escaped from the French chartered transpoint an independent Commissioner, but we port Chandernagor by jumping overboard as the think it would hardly be necessary for work of commissioner for this colony is one on which we venture to say Mr. F. BULKELBY Johnson would enter con amore. Should was lying at the wharf, made their way to furnishing a ship with any tackle, apparel, farordered for a fixed period will be continued until he be unable or disinclined to undertake it Pulo Brani, and were in hiding near niture, provisions, arms, munitions, or stores, or the Malay village of Teluk Saga. The Malays any other thing which is used in or about would probably gladly do so, or if any of our spector Quinn, who brought them over to the one half of the Act is put in force, the other prominent merchants happened to be taking Sepoy Lines police status; where they are suphalf should be also. plied with food, but are allowed to go free. The a holiday at the time they might find some shooting of one man in the arm and the probable pleasure and interest in rendering such a killing of another, in British waters, has, we

> Bank Corporation, may, we think, be regarded as | China and the Straits Settlements, was delivered in charge of this department, so that it might be the founder of the new Oriental Bank Corpora- in London on the 8th inst., its due date. tion, and from the statement which he was able advices from Japan were received, via to make to the shareholders last week we see no Francisco, this day. The next inward P. and O reason whatever to doubt that the new enterprise mail, ex steamer Verona, from Shanghai 6th. will make a successful start. Something over Hongkong 11th November, was despatched from We learn that Captain H. C. Somerset, of The £300,000 of capital has been subscribed. The Alexandria on the 11th inst., its due date. The amount is not large, but for all that it is following French mail was despatched from entirely sufficient. If, instead of the £300,000, Aden, per Messageries Maritimes steamer Petho, £3,000,000 had been found, there would have on the 8th inst., one day early. been serious risks of bold games being played once more, with the inevitable result that (Sáturday) afternoon at 3 o'clock by the Indofollowed the grand coups of the old administ ferences between France and China, which have China steamer Taisang for Calcutta, whence he tration. The bank requires nothing but been conducted through the medium of Lord

see a second offspring grow up, not perhaps to tis while France holds Kelung. A correspondent to the Indian Tea Gazette of be as large and pretentions as the one which is 16th December is responsible for the following :-- | dead, but infinitely more successful: The next "I was assured the other day by the proprietor question to be considered is the realisation of the of Galbodde estate—that—two—invoices of tea. old-concern. With-this matter the new bank as peace, or I should rather say, at 27 cents, thus point of depression in many of the properties leaving him a clear profit to go against the cost has been reached, and the reaction is already of the estate equal to 73 cents per pound, or in beginning to appear. It is probable that in a

Indian currency 11 annas a pound, which at the few days steps will be taken to turn this move-present annual yield of Galbodde of 800 lbs. the ment to account in the interests of the unfortuacre, shows a yearly gain of Rs. 550 per acre, -- a nate shareholders of the old Oriental Bank higher return than has ever been given by coffee | Corporation.—Fairplay, 28th November. The following items are from the London and The Agamemnon, Captain S. Long, arrived at

barking a quantity of Decauville's portable

The coming year will witness the promotion of Vice-Admiral Sir W. M. Dowell to the rank of Admiral and the consequent vacation by that officer of the command of the China Squadron.

The ship Highland Light, of Boston, which sailed from Cardiff on the 1st inst. with a carge of coals for Hongkong, sprung a leak in the Chan Play will be commenced at 2 p.m. to-day and 11 nel, and had to put back and dock for repairs.

paper on Great Thibet, which dealt exhaustively the second by 6 to love, but at this point Bowles. Bangkok to replace it. The young one has with the geography of this region of Central Asia so far as it has yet been explored, has been

The Acting President of the Royal Society

announced in his annual address that a grant of £200 has been made by the Society towards the expense of compiling and publishing a report | was :lowed on deck any more, but were cooped up below on the Flora of China. The Journal of Botany for December contains description by Dr. Hance of four new Chinese

Cæsalpinilæ, and also an article entitled

she was lying at Tanjong Pagar Wharf on Sun- same writer. The Diemnah, which took the last ontward relates a sorrowful account of his adventures. mail for China, took out 222 barrels of money, He enlisted in the Legion Etrangère in Al- amounting to the sum of 1,682,565 fr., addressed geria about two years ago and embarked on to the Treasurer-General at Saigon. This money

board the Canton in December last for Tonquin. consisted of dollars and twenty-cent pieces. The Whilst on sentinel duty on board during the same vessel also took 387,000 litres of wine, des- work of the department:voyage his sword fell into the sea, for which he | tined for Tonquin. was condemned by the Captain to 25 days' imprisonment in irons, and was only released some We regret to announce the death of Count or 8 days before the vessel's arrival in port. Hector de Noidans, who was recently appointed When there he jumped into the sea, followed by Belgian Minister at Morocco. M. de Noidans seven Germans, and the sentinel on duty fired had not yet taken up the duties of his new post

seven ball cartridges after them and the Captain | to which he had been called after having been who condemned him also fired 3 or 4 shots from for three years Belgian Minister in China. He had intended to leave for Tangiers in a few days. At a united meeting of the various lodges of Amongst the passengers by last mail, per Good Templars working in Hongkong under the Messageries Maritimes steamer Saghalien, was Naval District, held on Wednesday evening, Colonel Reinbardt, some time French Resident pletion of works which needed closer attention of commerce is obtained from. Bro. Goulbourn, the Visiting Deputy, was pre- at Hué. He brings a long report from Admiral and more support. The exceptionally sterile sented with a handsome teaset, accompanied with Courbet, and another of his own on the situation nature of the soil of this "barren rock," the ex-

Bro. King, the Secretary. Bro. Goulbourn, to knowledged the kindness of the brothren and the organisation of Tonquinese regiments, which, alterations I hope to be able to undertake them. and of Wardian cases 12, to 46 recipients.

over the meeting, and the address was read by | we believe, not very satisfactory reading.

We hear that a French firm, acting on behalf of the French Government, has been making thus opened to purchase five of the Castle Mail We the Officers and Members of the Lodges above Packet - Company's - bouts - (Messrs. Donald,

We are informed that the Chinese Governnection therewith, but more particularly so for the ment have paid very large sums into the foreign able work performed during the three years you have banks in Shanghai for remittance to Europe in honoured us by taking upon yourself the arduous duties shape of telegraphic transfers to pay for warof Visiting Deputy G.W.C.T. of the Naval District.

The knowledge that we have the regard of a Brother, this has been not only to relieve the stringency whose pleasure it is to possess the fraternal affection. It will serve a good purpose until a produce the large floral crimson bracts which descriptive list of additions is published, chiefly in the journal of Botany. the whereabouts of the centre of typhcons, and mongst the latter a large number of roses and land published, chiefly in the journal of Botany. the whereabouts of the centre of typhcons, and that local storm-signals would be given by fixing should be of much use to workers at the Hong-the gan,—so that it is surprising that a portion that the produce the large floral crimson bracts which descriptive list of additions is published, a work that the signals indicate strong wind in the undoubtedly proved himself, as you have done, the commodity almost unlendable. It has also sent they otherwise would have had. A large num- which is much needed. I have to thank Dr. H. Colony, but no doubt more correct notions will

Li Fong-pao, late Chinese Minister in Berlin, It is with the greatest pleasure and satisfaction we state that the Good Templary Order in Hongkong never no flourished as it has under your care, nor were its tenots and principles so fully exemplified as they presses the great pleasure which he feels in which results from the enormous fall of rain known when the Island is more completely select the best time for starting all according to In presenting this address we sincerely, irust that as a testimony of his recognition of his labours most from this cause are distorally those which The re-arrangement of the herbarium has been that cases still occur where a captain, who is a superior to a suit the six same of the formulation now avista on less familiar with typhoons, delays his thip in to work out the principles of Good Templary in its tween China and Germany.

A despatch, dated the 2nd inst., received by the | Poincettias, Rosas, and Euphorbias specially | THE GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER'S

It is announced that both General Brière de Mut-sheds are usually blown away at the com-Isle and Admiral Courbet have received instructions to avoid engaging the enemy until further orders, and to remain strictly on the defensive. General Brière de l'Isle is taking steps to reduce, as far as possible, the number of coolies attached to the flying columns in Tonquin, the difficulties of transport being very great, and an almost entire lack of coolies

The Marquis Tseng was permitted, under medical authority, to leave the Legation on the 10th inst., for the first time since the 4th, having been confined to his bed with indisposition. He paid a long visit to Lord Granville. W. need hardly remark that the report which has been circulated that his Excellency left Calais for Dover on the 10th inst. in apparently good health is entirely without foundation.

We learn that Her Majesty's Government have agreed, to accept the Japanese proposal the question of the Revision of the Treaties with published, have been generally known for some | tried where a large label is required. time past, and have been referred to in these The Straits Times says :- "One of the soldiers | columns, and need not therefore be repeated."

· Nothing further has transpired as to the neuvessel was leaving New Harbour, Singapore, on trality of Hongkong, and the way the Governher way to Tonquin, though shot through the ment there are to enforce the Foreign Enlistarm succeeded in landing on or near Pulo Hantu, | ment Act. According to this Act not only are and is now in the hospital. Two other men, both neutrals debarred from entoring the service of Germans, belonging to Legion Etrangère, either bolligerent, but equipping is prohibited who deserted from the same vessel while she strictly. The definition of equipping is "the gave information of their whereabouts to In- for the purpose of fitting her for the sea." If

The latest mail advices received home were:-Shanghai October 30th, Foothow 30th, Manila service to the colony with which their for. hear, been made the subject of official represent. November 1st, Hongkong 4th, Batavia 6th, Yokohama, via San Francisco, 7th. Saigon 7th and Singapore 10th. The French mail. Mr. W. W. Cargill, founder of the old Oriental. Marseilles, with the advices dated as above, from

The negotiations for the settlement of the diferedit. It has that, and it has in its connection Granville, have, we regret to say, proved of no the nucleus of a valuable business. With pro- avail. Propositions were submitted on behalf of per and judicious management there is not the France and transmitted to the Chinese, but did slightest reason to doubt of the complete success not provo acceptable, and likewise proposition of the concern, and that success will not be in from Chins were transmitted to France, but way diminished by the absence of a proved abortive; neither Government considerplethors of funds on which the directors ing the proposals submitted to them as being or local managers might build more or less compatible with their ideas. Since this has fantastic financial schemes. Good, sound, taken place, however, both the Marquis Tseng honest banking is all that is required; and on the 10th, and M. Waddington on the 11th, as banking chiefly consists in taking other have had long interviews with Lord Granville, people's money and making the best use of it, but nothing is believed to have resulted from the new Oriental Bank is in as good a position these. We should imagine that matters can at starting as can be expected. It has every hardly remain much longer in the present uncerone's good will. It requires nothing but good tain state in which they are, and either a peace management. The errors of the old concern will be made, or war will be openly declared. If which brought it to grief are well known, and it-results in-the-latter we fear it will prove a hardly maintain that eight knots is a high speed | may easily be avoided. We are satisfied that long matter. China could hardly, however, be they will be avoided, and that Mr. Cargill will expected to negotiate on the basis of uti posside-

We learn that the Siamese Government has which had nelted him a rupoe a pound over all a bank can have nothing to do; but from what appointed by Sir Thomas Tancred with the ob- funds which were available for building them ject of laying down a railway from Bangkok to only barely sufficed to provide what was abso-centre and its progress since previous day are Korat, with a branch line to Kabin. Ultimately lutely necessary for cultivable purposes only. explained, and when, as frequently occurs during this line would be continued to Sohat and Phit- In due course I hope that the present structures | the progress of typhoons, the telegrams are not salok. These engineers will leave England on will be replaced with ornamental and more dur- received, the information is based exclusively the 20th inst. The Sinness attach great im- able ones, at least equal to those with which most upon observations made here. In this part of my portance to the natural resources of these eastern gardens of any standing are provided. provinces, which are the richest in the kingdom. We may point out in case of misapprehension that the Siamese have not granted any concession for a line. All that is at present being done is to exploit the proposed route, and prove the the public than I anticipated they would be at as soon as copies of same are ready—generally feasibility of the line, when questions of conces. sion, &c., will be considered. We are certain that to-day announcing £25,000 ready for advances." Malta on the 4th inst. en. route for the China all interested in Siam will be pleased to know that she has decided on opening up the country more. For reasons which we pointed out only The transports destined for Tonquin are em- a short time since, Siam will be wise to gi others a stake in the country's stability. railway material, baggage waggons, and 100 steps that are now being taken are entirely due to private initiative, though they have the sano-

> THE LAWN TENNIS CHAMPION. SHIP.

tion of the Government.

Another well contested tie of the second heat of the Lawn Tennis Championship was played At a meeting of the Geographical Society a won the first set by 6 to 3, and nearly secured who had not been playing up to his usual form, running. A tough struggle then ensued, which ended in favour of Hodder, who, however,

GAMES. B. C. Hodder 6—9 C. E. Bowles 3—7

and left the following day for Tonquin. Whilst | "Orchidaceas Mpiphyticas Binas Novas," by the | REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDEN OF THE BOTANICAL AND AF. FORESTATION DEPART-**MENT FOR 1884.**

We yesterday published the portion of Mr Ford's report referring to afforestation. The

With the completion of the laying out and arrangement of the last remaining portion of land available for garden extension (paragraph) No. 4 of my Report for 1883), the Gardens have Kopsch, Commissioner of Customs at Pakhoi locality in which they are situated. Any further extension which may be desirable will have to be very satisfactory progress, and I think it is in the nature of branches at some distance from probable that they will flower this year, when, if the central garden. Therefore the available they do so, it will be possible to settle the resources and energy have been chiefly directed during the year to the improvement and com-

the address given below. Bro. Mills presided of the troops in Tonquin. These reports are, posed aspect of the Gardens, and absence of which relations are in existence. The number water for artificial watering in the dry season of plants received was 800, and of bags, boxes being made of perforated canvas framed in leaden necessitate the expenditure of a great deal more and packets of seeds 201, of animals 10, and the 5th inst. in the French Chamber thought, time, and means than is usually ex. Wardian cases 9, from 42 contributors. the Minister of Marine asked for a further perionced in establishments of this kind. Whencredit of 105,498£, to be applied to the ever opportunities can be got for a few important bags, boxes and packets of seeds there were 201. of the expeditionary corps. The credit was The trees on the terrace have quite cutgrown Library.] most of them should be removed and a more the Hongkong flora which have been discovered A new set of signals made of rattan have since

ber of Poinsettias were planted during the year. F. Hance, H.B.M. Acting Consul at Canton, for get abroad next season.

The Emperor of Germany has conferred upon have made a brilliant display. Quite as much damage is done to plants and As new discoveries of plants are continually vessels are enabled to form an opinion of the winds the Order of the Iron Crown, First Class. In a shrubs, both to those growing in pots and the being made in Hongkong we may yet expect and weather,—fine in some places foul in others. letter which his Majesty also forwarded he ex- open ground, by the saturated state of the soil many interesting additions to the number already |-likely to be encountered on the voyage, and to being able to send this high Imperial distinction during the storm. The plants which suffer the searched. during the six years of Li. Fong pao's residence come from countries having dry climates, many completed and a good foundation now exists on less familiar with typhoons, delays his ship in in Berlin, which developed friendly relations be. of which plants in consequence of these excessive which to build up what should become in the port, although the information issued to a pracdownpours it is impossible to cultivate here, fature the chief herbarium in China.

French Government from General Brière de suffered, a large number having been quite ed on the same basis as that of the Straits Insu- l'Isle, announces that in one of the villages of the killed. Young plants, both seedlings and from Lochnan district a proclamation has been found, cuttings, of ordinary things, even those natives which had been printed by order of the Viceroy of this place, were lost in large numbers. To be Says Truth :- On the occasion of Admiral of the provinces of Kwang-fung and Kwang-si, able to successfully cope with the elements at Coote being promoted, when at Hongkong, to communicating an Imperial decree urging the such times, as well as in ordinary heavy rains, needay, consists of a long technical description of many pot plants ought to be provided with substantial sheds in which they could be housed

> mencement of a storm. Much more attention was given to labelling this work for some time past. A large number pot plants are also being ticketed. With the verified and certificates issued: completion of these, visitors will be able to ascertain the names of all plants under cultivation. The destruction of the labels by weather, and the constant removals of them by the workmen

names of plants, therefore they are unable to in the course of next Spring. render any assistance in plant labelling. The Japan as the basis for the conference that is to labels used for open ground work are made of annual weather report for 1884 and with the fiveposals, although they have not been officially have found the most suitable of any kind yet ments. The volume of "Observations and Re-The additional piece of palm ground has been planted up with as many species of Palme as it

to make so great a drain on those in the Gardens. nullah to the east of the Garden, might be converted from its present exceedingly rough condi- ther, and amount of rain. saved from being further deprived of the surface ceives the telegrams for 10 s.m. and 4 p.m. (presoil in the meantime. I would strongly urge viousday)during the forencon. The E.E. A. & C. the advisability of placing this ground at once Telegraph Company receives the 10 a.m. and 4 p.m. duly conserved for possible future requirements The Herbaceous plant borders on each side of

the Owl-house walk, in consequence of their having become unsuitable for the class of plants which they contained have been turfed down and lines of Camellias and Azaleas planted in the

A plot of ground near the north-east entrance was prepared and planted with representative species of Scitamineous and Ameryllidaceous plants which were removed chiefly from the borders in the New Garden that were turfed Near the Caine-road entrance the bank which

had been denuded of grass by the shade cast from large trees has been converted into a rockery and planted with ferns and miscellaneous plants. Other objectionable parts in the same locality I purpose dealing with this year so that they may be brought more into harmony with the rest of the gardens. last year's report has proved of great advantage | plied much sooner than is possible under existing for the work for which it was intended. Because of lack of funds its arrangements, however.

to secure these bit by bit. . The new plant house has well met the requirecompleted. It is 51 feet long by 22 feet wide. A new glass-house between the two is still wanted for the cultivation of plants susceptible to ill effects from cold in winter and from excessive rains in the wet season. It would be telegrapited its approval of the proposed exploitations desirable that these structures should have reports from any individual station that may be

> suggested in 1882 and which were inaugurated four months ago have been more appreciated by Le commencement. About 1,500 plants ha been sold up to the end of the year. It will take some little time to learn what the public really require and more time to provide for those requirements, but I hope that we shall be able to meet them fully, and probably to develop nev ones, as time goes on. Of course we have no been able to do more than propagate and grow on in small pots plants for sale. There would. however, he a considerable demand for specimen plants ready to at once furnish verandah paranets but we have not yet facilities for carrying out

the cultivation of such plants. If I can possibly see my way to make this successful it shall have A slight increase has been made in the number of birds and quadrupeds, but we cannot go much yesterday on the Cricket Ground between Hod. fine Siamese honey-bear which we had for many

further without additional accommodation. The der and Bowles. Hodder was in good form and years was lost a few months ago. Mr. E. M Satow, C.M.G., H.B.M. Consul at Bangkok, however, most kindly sent another one from grown rapidly and is now in fine condition. Two pulled himself together and secured five games fine storks were also kindly given by Captain Stewart; they are thriving well. Miss Walkden also generously presented a nice deer, a fine specimen of the argus pheasant was sent by Mr. was somewhat pumped at the end. The score W. H. Forbes, but this, I much regret to say, fell a victim to cold, apparently. The devastation committed by ants in gardens

is so great, and effectual remedies are so little known that it will be useful, no doubt, to many people to make known the success of a plan which has been here adopted this year to protect seeds and plants in the open ground. The remedy is carbolic acid diluted in water. With one part of soid in 50 of water a line is watered all round seed beds or patches of ground when the seed are sown, afterwards a daily application of half the strength is made until the seedlings are beyoud the power of their enemies. This has following is the portion referring to the hotanical | been found a great success when ants were not already in the ground operated on, as the seem to have great objections to crossing the

kindly procured for us in 1882 from the district where it is cultivated by the Chinese have made question which has been long in doubt as to what the species of Illiciam is which Star enise Exchanges of plants and seeds have been con-

ducted with the various establishments with The plants sent out numbered 1,740, and of

he said, were destined to render excellent Amongst these should be the re-arrangement of [Here follow the names of the principal conservice, and would replace the greater part the Fountain Terrace and adjacent grounds. tributors and the additions to the too high terms to the conduct of the police, who themselves for the positions which they occupy; As an appendix, I attach a list of additions to those difficult circumstances and also afterwards.

suitable arrangement of planting substituted, since Dr. Hance's valuable supplement was pub- been made at the suggestion of the Surveyor but time and means prevent this being carried lished in 1871. The localities and dates, and General, but they are only 4, while the original inquiries to buy several steamers, which are pre- out at present. If these means had been avail- names of individuals refer to the places where signals were 6 feet in diameter. Whether they samed to be for the service of the war in the able I should have much wished to carry out the the plants were found, the time of the discoveries, will be sufficient, remains to be, seen At any and the names of the discoverers. In those cases rate it is to be hoped that arrangements will be The typhoon of September worked a good deal where descriptions or notices of the plants have made to have them hoisted to the top of the mast of mischief in the gardens, both by the force of been published the Journals or Magazines which which was reserved for these signals. the wind and the deluge of rain with which it contain them are referred to. No list has been. The notice referred to was extensively circuwas accompanied. Limbs and branches from made public for 13 years, and a number of addi-lated, and it was clearly stated that the signals the larger trees and shrubs were much broken, tions have not been recorded at all, although are heisted solely with the object of informing while smaller things were extensively up-rooted; many entirely new species have been described masters of vessels leaving the port concerning amongst the latter a large number of roses and and published, chiefly in the journal of Botany. the whereabouts of the centre of typhoons, and

and had it not been for the typhoon they would valuable information and assistance in the preparation of the list.

REPORT FOR 1884

The first portion of Dr. Doberck's report, laid on the table of the Legislative Council on Wecthe observatory, the various instruments, and the systems of observation adopted. The report then proceeds as follows :---

As stated in the "Instructions for making the plants than it had been possible to bestow on imeteorological observations, &c." meteorological instruments forwarded by observers, who reguof labels have been lettered and put down, so that | larly send their registers to the Observatory, are at least one specimen of each kind of tree or shrub | verified here free of cost. During the past year has now its name affixed to it. The specimen | the following number of instruments has been Barometers, 13

Thermometers, 126 Anemometers. 1

The monthly weather reports up to July inwho take them up to facilitate operations, and telusive have been published. The tables are who on finding when they wish to replace them | ready for the August and September reports. that they have forgotten where the labels were The typhoons in August are being investigated. taken from, put them back hap-hazard, renders The principal tables for the October and Noit an arduous thing to keep labels well supplied | vember reports are ready and some progress has and in due order. The Chinese workmen, unlike been made in tabulating the records for Decemnative Indians, are quite unable to learn foreign | ber. I expect to be able to publish these reports

Some progress has also been made with the teak, painted, lettered, and varnished. This I day means of the principal meteorological elesearches made in 1884 " will be published as soon. as these reports are ready.

The China Coast Meteorological Register was issued daily from here. Through the courtesy New ground has been broken up, prepared of the Great Northern and of the Eastern Exand planted with new introductions as well as tension Australasia and China Telegraph Comwith older kinds which were required for orns. panies I received daily telegrams from Wladimental purposes especially to meet, when they wostock, Nagasaki, Shanghai, and Amoy, and are sufficiently grown, the increasing demand for from Manila respectively. Subsequently the cut flowers. For this service we shall have yet to Superintendent of the latter Company was make very considerable provision. It is to be kind enough to supply telegrams from Fooregretted that no suitable piece of ground is chow and Haiphoug in addition, but an available, without the expenditure of much oven more important addition was made, when he money on it, for the special purpose of growing in Autumn arranged to have meteorological obsera supply of flowers for cutting instead of having vations started at the telegraph station in Rolingo-(Luzon). The telegraphic reports ombran gane-A piece of land which might be obtained, with rally readings of the barometer and the attached the consent of the Government, just over the thermometer, dry and damp built thermometers, direction and force of the wind, state of the wea-

tion into a passable reserve garden, if it can be The Great Northern Telegraph Company reobservations separately. The Superintendent of the station in Bolinac, in the course of October, commenced to forward observations also at other hours, whenever he apprehended atmospheric disturbance in the neighbourhood of Luzon. He then also observed the direction, whence the clouds were coming. The importance of similar tolegraphic information from a gentleman of scientific training during the coming typhoon season cannot be overestimated.

Assoonas possible after 10a.m. and 4 p.m. observations made here similar to those received are forwarded to the two Companies. The telegrams. are exchanged between the Telegraph Offices in Victoria and the Observatory by means of either of our two chair-coolies. Of course it would be better to exchange the information through telegraph. There is a cable across the harbour through which the Police Stations are connected, but ithas not been used for transmission of such messages. If it were possible to place the Obervatory in direct communication with the Telegraph The new nursery described in paragraph 4 of | Companies Offices, the information would be sup-

As soon as the telegrams are recorded they are are not so complete as they should be, but I hope | revised, corrected, and reduced, and the most prominent features and changes of the weather are pointed out, as well as the wind over the open ments for the better cultivation of some plants | sea between Shanghai, Hongkong, and Luzon grown in pots. A similar structure, but with indicated by the gradients, the constants being some improvements on the old one, has just been statistically determined. Early information about typhoons is also issued, the existence of which is generally anticipated from observations here taken in connection with the general distribution of pressure. &c., before it is indicated by observations contained in the telegraphic situated nearer to the respective disturbance.

Every day the general whereabouts of the work I derived greathelp from Ferrel's theoretical The system of plant sales which I first officially | Papers and particularly from Moldrum's illustrious

> The Clerk of the Department has charge of about 1 h. 30 p.m.—they are forwarded by one of the chair-coolies to the following addresses :-H. E. the Admiral of the Fleet.

The Harbour Office. The Great Northern Telegraph Company. The Hongkong Telegraph.

The China Mail. The Daily Press. Occasionally complaints have been received that the register was not received at a sufficient-

y early hour. A meteorological register containing the 4 p.m. observations made here is sent in the evening to the Daily Press, which is a morning paper. Whenever, as does not often occur, bad weather prevents the launch from running between Hongkong and Kaulung, or when information concerning typhoons, which should be published immediately, is at hand, a telegram is sent through the Police Stations to the Central

Police Stations in Hongkong, from which it is telegraphed to Government House, The Government Offices Harbour Offica.

and copies of the telegram are despatched by the Central Station to The Great Northern Telegraph Company. The E. E. A. & C. Telegraph Company.

The Daily Press.

The China Mail. The Hongkong Telegraph. The Hongkong Club The Chamber of Commerce

The Naval Yard.

The Commissariat.

The Surveyor General (when the Government Offices are closed) It was in the course of the year arranged that I am not to control the distribution of these telegrams, for which my responsibility ceases, as soon as they have been properly forwarded from

In fact now that meteorological signals can be exhibited from this side of the harbour, the distribution among so many addresses is perhaps mnecessary, and with reference to the Telegraph Companies I have formed the opinion that telegrams concerning typhoons should be ferwarded only to those Treaty Ports to the ships in which their contents would be of importance in each

In the latter part of August a mast for heisting police and storm-signals exected at Tsimsha-tsui was furnished with the system of signals explained in my notice of the 11th August (Appendix F), and a gun was placed at the foot of the mast for giving warnings to the Colony. The signals, although they were rather light, pipes, blew down and were damaged, because the cord that supported them was far too weak. At the time the water police had not yet taken possession of the new barracks and there were only a couple of English constables living in the old station, but it would be impossible to refer in

are charged with hoisting the signals, both under

Through these signals supplemented by the information given in the daily registers, masters of

bleal meteorologist implies that he is likely to

succunter fine weather on a voyage to the port for which he is about to start - while another ship starting at the same time for some other port may run great rick.

Hongkong it would be an advantage to have -- Modern wars commence without declarationtrustworthy information concerning had weather | Alexandria burned by the British and Foochow likely to be encountered by each individual ship by the French fleets in proof of this. Secret leaving the port placed within reach of every orders are sent on December 5 to Admiral Courcaptain about to leave the port, and this can betto cease warlike operations in China, Formosa, only be effected by allowing them to telegraph and Tonquin, and to concentrate his four to me for information, adding the name and des- armonr-clads at Hongkong on December 20; to tination of the ship in question. Similar en- sink the Audacious and Wivern by ramming quiries may in England, on payment of one (the Audacious is a Vanguard and the Wivern a shilling for the message; be addressed to the me-nondescript); to cause the garrison of Hongkong toorological office, but the answer contains only to surrender; the island to hoist the French flag. a gue at the weather expected next day, while or to burn and destroy the town, ships and dock; in the China Sea it would be possible to give in- to coal, and proceed to Singapore, arriving there formation concerning the weather-likely to pre- on 26th, to summon or destroy; to coal and

vail on the voyage. But in order to effect this it would be neces- and destroy the dockyard; thence to Colombo, sary to appoint a telegraph clerk in the Observa- demand the surrender of Ceylon or destroy the tory. Occasionally during the past season town; Jan. 15 to Bombay, and, if strong masters of vessels have sent one of their mates | enough, repeat the attack, sinking Magdala and over to make enquiries, and I have done my best Abyssinia, cooling and proceeding to Aden by to give them the required information, but at Feb. 1. Secret orders on Dec. 5 to the Admiral serious inconvenience owing to smallness of the in the Mediterranean to assemble his squadron, staff attached to this Department.

1883 in studying past records of the weather Rept herself athwart it, to sink all vessels attempting by officers of the Harbour Department, and Mr. to force their way through. The Algiers Figg assisted me in taking monthly means of squadron to rendezvous off Ushant on the 18th. observations. The results were published in the and to proceed to the Mersey. Sink the Defence, Gasette (Appendices A-C to "Observations and and four of them entering the harbour at high Researches in 1884"). He also took monthly water on the 20th to demand a ransom of means of the height of the barometer registered £100,000,000, or to destroy Liverpool and four whalers have arrived at Korti.

for over twenty years in the Harbour Office, but Birkenhead. On the 19th the coast defence ships CAIRO, 24th as some difficulty was encountered in ascertain- to leave Cherbourg and bombard Brighton, to and will not be of much importance when pub- defend the country if France attempts this coup.

Besides the reports to appear in the "Obser- Officer sends the following:clude a complete barometric determination of the the "general" and "special ideas" formulated height of Victoria Peak, I have published the by Sir J. Hay and those to which we are accus-

following papers:

cial correspondence, that I am not able to add a commander move in accordance gation of the China Sea will follow.

POLICE COURT. 15th January.

BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

UNLAWFULLY CARRYING ARMS. Wong Atai, Wong Asam, and Wong A Ng. fisherman, were charged with being possessed of three guns, a pike, a sword, and some ammunition, at Lap Sap Wan, contrary to law. P.C. Kemp found the defendants in a salt petre boat bound for Hoifung with the arms mentioned. He said there were no suspicious circumstances about the case ... The arms were confiscated, and the defendants were discharged.

Five other seamen belonging to the No Chak Wah junk were charged with a similar offence. P.C. Kjeller found a musket, a blunderbass, P. and O. wharf. The arms were confiscated, and the defendants

were discharged. THE BUCKET SMASHING CASE.

Colonel Walker, B.E., on the 13th instant. were bound over in personal recognisances of \$5 Granted that the 91 inch French gun is decided to keep the peace for 14 days.

of a fight at a hydrant at the foot of Morrison ships—the Bayard's belt. The Audacious is to Hill about questions of procedence as to taking be rammed because she "is a Vanguard." The water between some servants and a let of men | Vanguard really behaved admirably under trying from the foundry near by, and that a lot of circumstances, saving her whole crew, although buckets were smushed in the row.

EARRING SNATCHING. Leong Atsat, cook, was charged with stealing s pair of earrings from the person of a woman,

named Li Choi Lin, on the 14th instant, he had thrown away the earrings.

similar offence, and having no friends, no money. and no food, he went to the Koshing Theatre to was raised, and he was arrested. The case was remanded, probably for the pur-

pose of having it dealt with by the full court.

road West, on the 14th instant. caught the first defendant as he was endeavour- than Toulon his subsequent proceedings would ing to excaps with a tin box containing \$8.50 in form an interesting episode in this new Kriegssilver. The other defendants work arrested in spiel.

the same house, which was fitted upfor gambling, There is a special inappropriateness, almost having strong trap doors with spring locks, implying a want of a sufficient sense of humour, ladder escapes, and all necessary appliances for in Sir J. Hay's assumptions at a time when La playing fantan, which had been going on at the Galissonnière is actually repairing at Hongkong connection with this house. The third defendant | bet can do all this at Hongkong, why in Heaven's was pointed out by the informer as the manager name does he not hoist the French flag at Tamof the game, and the first as the banker, by one sui?" seems almost too obvious to be put on informer, but another said the second defendant paper. To suppose that the garrison of Hongacted as manager.

fault. 14 days' hard labour. Four paid their toforget the history of the British army. Bombardfines, and \$5 was awarded to each informer. DASTARDLY ASSAULT.

موجي بعمر <u>.</u>

having assaulted Li Afu, a ticket collector em. gasy; Arabi was not cowed by the expenditure ployed at the Koshing Theatre, on the 12th in. of 132,000 lbs. of gunpowder and 5,000 shot and stant.

and they endeavoured to pass the complainant Admiral Courbet's ironclade might empty their the railway at the endrof next year. without tickets. He would not let them pass. | magazines, but he would not "heist the French and they abused and threatened him. They flag" on the island; nor would be get a ton of went away, and in the evening they came again. The defendant had a handful of powdered lime, which he threw into complainant's face, and one game in Western waters would require too much at Bala Murghab, where they will winter. of his eyes was filled with it and much inflamed, causing the man a great deal of pain. The defendant was caught by Police Sergeant Inter. | Courbet's supposed treachery the Indo-Chinese proter Tai Yau Yuk

The defendant said he went to see a friend, the complainant would not let him into the Cochin-China would be prisoners, at the disposal Theatre, and they had a fight.

Sentenced to fourteen days' hard labour, and to find a surety of \$5 for his good behaviour for she knows it. Happily for England, no one con- and two more to ten years' penal servitude, for six weeks, or, in default, he imprisoned for ceived a Kriegaspiel problem on Sir J. Hay's being concerned in a plot to blow up the Emanother 14 days.

Chun Ahong, coolie, was sent to gaol for a week for stealing a piece of hard wood, value \$1, belonging to a carpenter named Cheong Akai, on the 14th instant.

A VIRAGO IN COURT Chan Ashap, keeper of a house of ill-tame at No. 16, Ladder-street, was summoned on a charge of behaving in a disorderly manner outside her house on the 12th instant

as the was accosting some passing Europeans, and she then became very abasive to him. The defendant was fined \$1, and upon the decision being interpreted to her she carried her reached Korti. insolence further by making a disturbance in the court, whereupon his Worship increased her fine to \$5.

A KRIEGSSPIEL FOR THE FAR EAST.

Admiral Sir J. C. Dalrymple Hay forwards to To a port frequented by so vast a shipping as | the Pall Mall Gasette a. Kriegsspiel as follows: proceed to Trincomalee on Jan 3, refit, coal, all but the Colbert, at Algiers. On Dec. 19 the I devoted part of my time in the Autumn of | Colbert to enter the Suez Canal, and grounding

vations and Researches in 1884," which will in. There are some points of difference between On the Rainfall and Temperature of latter certain broad strategic conditions are laid to Meraweh. Markree, Sligo." (In "Quarterly Jour- down; these would correspond fairly enough with nal of the Royal Meteorological Society." Sir J. Hay's list of ships and stations. Then follows the "special idea." A "blue" division trenched two days' march beyond Meraweh. b. "Markree Observatory." (In "The Ob. has orders to concentrate at A, a "red" brigade servatory. A monthly review of astro- has received information that blue's movements on Monday. nomy." October and November, 1884). point to such a concentration, and is directed to During the past year my time was to such an forestall it if possible, to hold A till reinforce. The messenger who left Khartoum a fort extent occupied in erecting and adjusting the ments arrive, or to fall back fighting on the night ago, reports that the followers of Mahdi instruments, in making the necessary arrange- line CD. Having started with some such preli- at Omderman are famished for want of proments of the methods of using them and in offi- minary assumptions it is usual to the blue visions and are dying and deserting. catalogue of the scientific instruments and books limitations, while his opponent, also und down

to this year's report. I also regret having been by conditions, is nevertheless allowed fair play, at times behind hand in acknowledging the re- and may even, by a clever combination, succeed in ceipt of publications from other scientific centres overpowering red's advanced guard, or holding and from individuals and having been forced by it in check till reinforcements are sent up. Sir want of time to neglect my scientific correspon- J. Hay's method is different, and certainly far pedition will advance to Khartoum, leaving dence in general; but although during the first simpler. On Doc. 20 blue causes "the garrison portion of the new year several new instruments of Hongkong to surrender," on the 26th Singawill have to be started, I expect to be able to at- pore hoists the white flag, followed on Jan. 3 tend more regularly to my daties in this respect. by Trincomales, and at brief intervals by Colom-Officers of the Royal Navy and Officers of the bo, Bombay, and Aden. It is all perfectly Captains of merchant yessels have forwarded to like the game of "patience." By elimating red, order to punish the tribe who were the murderers not snatch Anglo-Egyptian chestnuts out of the FTHE Steamship

me meteorological observations made during ty- however, the realism of this new form of Kriegs. of Col. Stewart and party. phoons, by aid of which I have been enabled to spiel is somewhat impaired. It is worth while The force will then push on to Abuhamed and which investigations results useful to the navi- only to allay the panic which may have prevailed. | troops will come. commonly preceded by a state which closely plies. singularly unfortunate. It is rather early to to protect the stores, and the Mounted Infantry forget the threats, proclamations, and ultima- with unloaded camels will return at once to tums which preceded the bombardment of the Korti. forts of Alexandria -- are they not written in Blue. The remainder of the Camels Corps with Ar: books?-while it will scarcely be seriously con- tillery and Hussars will then have their headtended that the condition of affairs long before quarters transferred to Gakdul, from whence the the Foochew bombardment was not one of actual Expedition will march to Khartoum via Shendy. war, and would not have been considered as such A garrison will remain to guard Korti. had any European Power occupied the position of China. The allusion to Alexandria is Sir Herbert Stewart with corps started for in other respects ill-conceived. Alexandria was Gakdul to-day and is expected to arrive on Thursnot "burned" by the British fleet, as every day. one who saw the rains knows perfectly well. No opposition is anticipated. and, further, the three British fronclads gained COL. STEWART'S MURDERERS TO BE PUNISHED. no real advantage whatever by being inside the harbour on the 10th. July, as any one who A force of British Infantry under General examined the Egyptian submarine mine stores' Earle has been told off to proceed to the scene can testify. Sir J. Hay's opening assertions of the murder of Colonel Stewart and party and are questionable; but worse follows. Admiral to inflict punishment on the murderers. Courbet receives "orders" to destroy the Audatwo pistols, and some ammunition on board the cious and Wivern by ramming." On similar defendants' junk, which was made fast to the principles the French armies might have received orders in 1870 "to destroy the Germans by Said being commanded by that of Perim, the shooting." The Audacious has a heavier armsment than any of the four French ironclads—ten sion of it, on the grounds that Tajowrah would 9 inch and four 64 pounders, against six 91 inch. be preferable (as a coaling and refit station.) one 7 inch, and six 52 inch of the Triomphante. Li Achan, cook, was charged, on remand, with or four 91 inch, two 75 inch, and six 51 inch of [maliciously breaking six buckets belonging to the Bayard. She carries thicker armour than any of them except the Bayard. She can steam many and Russia to be represented on the Caisse Inspector Swanston said he believed the de- as fast as any of them. She is iron-built. They fendant's account was correct as to his having are all wood, probably rather rotten, and if inbeen assaulted by the coolies, and both parties | the British Navy would be classed as "obsolete." ly better than our 9 inch, yet the latter is able to It will be remembered that the affair arcse out pierce the thickest armour on board the French

her water-tight doors were not closed; but why the Audacious is a better subject for ramming for by Prince Bismarck for the creation of a new than any one of Admiral Courbet's four old post of Director to the Ministry wooden vessels is not stated. The latter would obviously overmatch the Audacious and Wivern The complainant said that on Wednesday in a purely naval action; but English sailors evening she was walking in Queen's road West have before this won decisive victories against with two or three friends, when the defendant much great odds, and few at least would be found enatched her earrings from behind. He was to admit that all four French ships would after caught by a constable, but before being arrested the fight be perfectly ready for a carser of conquest. Sir J. Hay, however, goes beyond this, The defendant said he had only come out of and appears to imply that Admiral Courbet gael on the 10th instant, where he had been could take Hongkong and defeat the two English rejected by England in the fear of provoking serving a year's hard labour for an exactly ironclads at one stroke. This is going a little other attempts to disturb the statu que. too far. It is not desirable to publish the detailed armaments of our fortresses; they are, of try and pick up something. A cry of "thief" | course, at Sir J. Hay's service; but it is sufficient to state that in such an engagement Admiral against a French occupation of Tadjourah is in-Courbet would have the olds against him. His correct. The Porte is occupied solely with four barbette ships are particularly ill suited for | English annexations on the Red Seaan engagement with coast defences, since they might be put out of action by mere field guns, Five Chinese were brought before the court while the heavy guns now at Hongkong are quite charged with public gambling at 89, Queen's capable of penetrating their armour at comparatively long ranges. Admiral Courbet's ironolads Inspector Perry made a raid on the house would, withoutany doubt, be very seriously knockwith P. S. Butlin and a party of police, and he ed about, and as they could not be repaired nearer

time the descent was made. Inspector Perry after a particularly brief engagement with Chisaid there had been a gambling case before in ness gunners; and the retort, " If Admiral Courkong would "surrender" on threat of bombard-The defendants were fined \$5 each, or, in de- ment, even if they had not a single heavy gun, is ments are of all measures the most barren of military result, as the French are beginning to Kwong Alin, agriculturist, was charged with find out. They do not even overawe the Malashell. With a stout English garrison at Hong-The defendant and two others wanted to get kong, to say nothing of a large Chinese populainto the theatre and see the fun without paying tion already half-maddened against the French,

> coal from the wharves. To follow the progress of Sir J. Hay's war with their respective parties, are now encamped space. The issue in the East may be stated in a few words. Within four months of Admiral possessions of France would be lost, and the large Stockholm, has been appointed Minister at French forces in Tonquin, Formosa, and Athens. of England. France could choose no time worse than the present for a war with England, and

THE ENGLISH MAIL.

The P. and O. steamer Hydaspes, with the English mail of the 12th ultimo, arrived here yesterday afternoon. The subjoined telegrams The defendant was interfered with by a lokang are taken from Ceylon and Indian papers:-ADVANCE OF THE KHARTOUM EXPEDITION. CAIRO, 22nd December. The 38th Regiment and part of the 35th have

CAIRO, 23rd December.

arrived at Korti.

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Three sections of light Camel Corps and sixty-Carro, 24th December.

quired, the results have not yet been published, proposal, as I believe the navy is unprepared to arrived at Dongola and that he reports that the gulf of Guinea opposite Corisco Bay. Mahdi has sent seven Corps to reinforce the To these pessimistic views a Royal Engineer Amir at Berber to oppose the British advance.

It is understood that the Powers have shelved the question of British Proposals in Egypt. CAIRO, 26th December.

A detachment of the Artillery has reached tomed in a "shore going" war game. In the Korti and the troops are preparing to advance

> The 38th Kegiment, 600 strong, leave Korti CAIRO. 28th December.

The Kassala garrison made a sortie and defeated the robels. CAIRO, 29th December. Lord Wolseley has ordered a convoy of supplies

behind a garrison at Korti. CAIRO, 30th December.

investigate those atmospheric disturbances; from to examine blue's mode of procedure a little, if open a road to Korhko from whence supplies for Sir J. Hay's opening premiss cannot be ac- The Mounted Infantry and Guards Corps uncepted for a mement. "Modern wars" may der Colonel Sir Herbert Stewart will leave Korti "commence without declaration," but they are to-day for Gakdul with a large convoy of supborders on war. The two examples quoted are The Grards will remain at Gakdul in order

FRANCE ON THE RED SEA. PARIS, 12th December. The Temps explains that the position of Sheikh French Government has refused to take posses-

THE POWERS AND THE CAISSE. as of no great importance. The Standard says that England is not likely. to answer it until the Powers thomselves have answered her proposals. MINISTERIAL CHANGES AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, 14th December. Artim Pacha, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has been dismissed. PRINCE BISMARCK AND THE REICHSTAG. Berlin, 15th December. The Reichstag has rejected the loan asked

Paris, 14th Docember. Obituary.—The death of M. Eugene Pelletan

BISMARCK'S VIEWS ABOUT EGYPT. Paris, 15th December. The Daily News pretends that Prince Bismarck wishes for an English Protectorate in Egyptor even annexation, and that he even made the proposal to other cabinets, a proposal that was

THE PORTE AND THE RED SEA. Paris. 16th December. The information that the Porte has protested THE REICHSTAG.

Berlin, 16th December. The Reichstag has reduced the credits asked for by the German Consulates. ENGLAND AND ITALY IN THE RED SEA. Paris, 15th December. Italy is negotiating with London for the oc-

cupation of new territory on the Red Sea. LONDON, 17th December. The Daily News save that an understanding between Italy and England on the Egyptian Question being imminent, England will allow Italy to extend her possessions on the Red Ses. GERMAN ANNEXATION OF NEW BEITAIN AND

NEW IBELAND. BERLIN, 22nd December. The annexation of New Britain and New Ireland, the Admiralty Islands, and a portion of North Coast of New Guinea has been officially confirmed here.

NO INFERNAL MACRINE AT WINDSOR. LONDON, 23rd December. The infernal machine at Windsor turns out to have been merely fishing winches.

THE SCINDE, PUNJAB AND DELHI BAILWAY. London, 19th December. The half-yearly report of the Scinde, Punjab and Delhi Kailway issued to day atotes that the Secretary of State for India has announced that it is the intention of Government to purchase THE HOUSE No. 11, REMEDIOS'S TEREACE, AUGUSTE, Brit. sch., P. Thomson.—Captain.

THE AFGHAN BOUNDARY COMMISSION. Teheran, 20th December. Sir Peter Lumsden and Colonel Ridgeway, DIPLOMATIC APPOINTMENT.

LONDON, 20th December.

PUNISHMENT OF ANARCHISTS. Beelin, 22nd December. Three anarchists have been sentenced to death, principles before the great siege of Gibraltar or peror of Germany whilst unveiling the monu-principles before the great siege of Gibraltar or peror of Germany whilst unveiling the monu-Nos.

tember last year.

COMMERCIAL TREATY BETWEEN ENGLAND AND SPAIN. LONDON, 23rd December. An agreement has been signed between England and Spain: in which the latter country agrees to grant the most favoured nation treatment to English manufactures, when the House of Commons sanctions a further extension of the one shilling scale to thirty degrees of pure spirit in wines exported from Spain to England, instead of twenty-six degrees as at present.

THE TRANSVAAL. CAPETOWN, 23rd December. The Transvasi Government has despatched an Four sections of the heavy Camel Corps have officer to the frontier in order to prevent the passage of the Boers.

IN AFRICA. LONDON. 25th December.

News from the West Coast of Africa states The Mudir of Dongola telegraphs that is that the Spanish African Society have acquired ing the corrections which the baremeters re- create a scare. I invite a discussion on this Bedown who left Omderman on 12th inst., has 15,000 square miles of territory inland on the A FIRM STAND IN SOUTH AFRICA. CAPETOWN, 27th Docomber. The British flag less been hoisted at Saint

Lucia to assume ownership. THE EARTHQUAKES IN SPAIN. . regree Mapero, 20th December. Several slight shocks of earthquake were felt at THREE P.M. tore to-day and also Andalusia where the shocks | This steamer has superior first class Ac- of Customs at San Francisco. CAIRO, 27th December. | were very sovers, killing and wounding several commodation specially constructed to meet the It is stated that the Mahdi's forces are en. people and causing serious damage. MADEID. 28th December.

> Shocks of earthquake at Malaga and Granada continue to be very severe. At the town of Albama 300 people have been killed and the town itself laid in ruins. Several other towns and villages in the couth have also been severely damaged The cathedrals in the cities of Granada and FITHE Steamship Seville have sustained injury. A general panic provails in the southern proare encamped in the open country.

It is believed that altogether 1,000 people have instant, at THREE P.M. to be forwarded to Gakdul, whereupon the ex- perished. GERMAN POLICY IN EGYPT. BERLIN. 29th December. The North German Gazette publishes an arti-The plan of the Nile Campaign is as fol- ele to-day on the German policy in Egypt, which it says is dictated by exigencies of friendly General Earle will collect a Brigade of Infan- relations amongst the Continental Powers. Ger-French squadron in China, as well as numerous straightforward, but just a trifle monotonous, try at Handeb above the Fourth Cataract in many while valuing the goodwill of England will

French fire. THE FRENCH IN BURMAN. PARIS, 19th December. It has been decided to appoint a French Consul at Rangoon.

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PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS. STEAM FOR LOMBO PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, ADEN, SUEZ PORT SAID. MEDITERRANEAN AND BLACK SEA PORTS, NAPLES, MARSEILLES, AND PORTS OF BRAZIL

AND LA PLATA: LONDON AND ANTWERP, BORDEAUX, LE HAVRE, AND DUNKIRK.

N TUESDAY, the 27th day of January, 330 P.M. - when the Post Office closes entirely. 1885, at Noon, the Company's Steamship "ANADYR," Commandant De la Marcelle, with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE, and CARGO, will leave this Port for the above places.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accorded in transit through Marseilles for the principal 5 P.M., Money Order Office closes. Post Office places of Europe. Shipping Orders will be granted till Noon. Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. Specie and Parcels until 3 P.M., on the 26th January, 1885. (Parcels are not to be sent | on board; they must be left at the Agency's

For further particulars, apply at the Company's Office. G. DE CHAMPEAUX.

Hongkong, 16th January, 1885. STEAM COMMUNICATION TO WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

THE WEST AUSTRALIAN STEAM

SHIP COMPANY'S Steamer

"NATAL" J. Wood, Commander, under engagement with the Straits and Western Australian Governments; is expected to leave Singapore for Fremantle, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossack, Sharks Bay and Geraldton, as notified below:-

PROPOSED TIME TABLE.

NORTHWARD SERVICE. Leaving Fromantle calling at Geraldton, Sharks Bay, Cossack, Roebuck Bay, and Batavia. 18th 2nd 13th 18th 28th 11th 2nd March May June July Aug. Oct. Dec. Arriving at Singapore, 4th 19th 29th 4th 14th 28th 19th April May June Aug. Sep. Oct. Dec. SOUTHWARD SERVICE. Leaving Singapore, calling at Batavia, Roebuck Bay, Cossock, Shares Bay and Geraldton, 12th 24th 1st 10th 20th 5th 21st April May July Aug. Sep. Nov. Dec. Arriving at Fremantle. 30th 11th 16th 25th 8th 30th 8th April June July Aug. Oct. Nov. Jan. The "NATAL" has a remarkably fine Saloon, and also excellent accommodation for

For Freight and Passage to the above and other Australian Ports, apply to McALISTER & Co., Agents. Singapore, 5th February 1884. INSURANCES.

Second and Third Class Passengers. .

Hongkong, 1st January 1882.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. I THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, - authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Ca. at Rates.

GILMAN & Co.

The Undersigned are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE at the by the same mail. Reduced Tariff Rates to the extent of \$50,000 on First-class Risks. LINSTEAD & DAVIS.

San Fire Office. Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877 IN HAMBURG.

1. Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT PUSTAU & Co.

Hongkong, 18th January, 1884,

MAIL EXPECTED.

THE AMERICAN MAIL. The O. and O. steamer San Pable, with the next American mail, left San Francisco on the 19th December, and may be expected here on or about the 19th inst.

STEAMER EXPECTED. The Union Line steamer Claymore, left and may be expected to arrive here on or about the 17th instant.

POST-OFFICE NOTICES.

Attention is invited to the following par ticulars on the subject of Local Delivery :-LOCAL DELIVERY.—No delivery is attempted named in the address) when there is a place of

The Postal Guide for 1885, revised to date.

The authorised List of Mails issued in connection with this paper is the one published twice each day in our Extra, which is always corrected to a much later hour than that given

is the only authorized complete Summary of

A MATE WILL CLOSE: For Straits and London -- PerLagries, to-day, the 16th inst, at 1.30 P.M. For Straits and Calcutts .- Per Taisang and Arratoon Appear, to-morrow, the 17th inst., at

For Swatow, Amoy, & Foodlow. -- Per Namoa, to-morrow, the 17th inst., at 5.00 P.M. For Port Darwin, Thursday Island, Cook, towa, Townsville, Brisbane, Sydney, Melbourne, & Adelaide.—Per De Bay, on Weinesday, the 21st inst., at 3.30 P.M.

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet City of Tokio will be despatched on SATURDAY, the 17th NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship instant, with Mails for Japan Honoluin, San Francisco, the United States, Canada, Peru, &c., which will be closed as follows:may be posted on board the Packet with Late

Pas of 10 cents extra Postage until the time of departure. MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET. The British Contract Packet Peshawur will be despatched on TUESDAY, the 20th January. with Mails for the United Kingdom. Europe and countries beyond, via Brindisi: to the Straits Settlements, Butavia, Barmab, Ceylon, In lia, Aden. Egypt, Malta, and Gibraltar.
The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, &c

Unregistered Letters containing Jewellery, &c., and where Registration has been neglected. will make no enquiries into alleged losses of such letters. MATLS BY THE FRENOT PACKET. The French Contract Picket Anadyr wil be despatched on THESDAY, the 27th instant, with Mails for the United Kinglom. Europe, and places beyond, vit Nuclea: to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah,

The Post Office declines all responsibility for

ta, and Gibrelter. The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails. &c. SAIGON, SING APORE. BATAVIA. CO-HOURS FOR CLOSING THE CONTRACT

THE ENGLISH, MAIL.

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Colonies, Alau, Malta, and Capa, Egypt, Mal-

The following hours are observed in closing Mails, &c., by the British Contract Packet:-Day of Departure. NOON.-Woney Orler Office closes. 2.00 P.M.—Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. 3.00 P.M. - Mails closed, except for Late Latters. 3.10 P.M.—Letters may be posted with late fee of 19 cents until

2.40 P.M.—Late Letters may be posted on board the proket with late fee of 10 cents, until time of departure. THE FRENCH MAIL Day before Departure.

closes, except the night box, which is always open out of office hours. Day of Departure. 7 A.M. Post Office opens. 10 A.M., Registry of Letters ceases. Posting of all printed matter and patterns ceases. Office.) Contents and value of Packages are 11 A.M., Mail closes, except for Late Letters. 11.10 A.M., Letters may be posted with Late Fee of 10 cents until 11.30 A.M., when the Post Office closes entirely. 11.40 A.M., Late Letters may be posted on board

> To provide means of remitting small sums of money to or from this Colony and between the Ports of China, the Postmasters and Agents of this Office are allowed (but not required) to purchase Hongkong Postage Stamps from foreign residents.

> > MONEY OBDEES.

orders, which have been approved by His Excel-

The following revised regulations as to money

the packet with Late Fee of 10 Cents until

time of departure.

lengy the Governor in Council, are published in the Gazette. Money order relations are extended for the first time to the countries marked *:--1.—Money orders can be obtained at Hongkong and Shanghai on the following countries. * Madaira. Azores Is. · Belgium. Mauritius. * Natal: · Bermuda. · Newfoundland. Canada. New South Wales. Cape Colony. Morway. Caylon. Port Darwin. + (Constantinople). -Portneal. Queensland. • Denmark. * S. Helena. Egypt.
 Folkland Is. Seychelles. * Sierra Leone. Gambia.

South Australia · Germany. + (dibraltar).

* Gold Coast. Straits Settlements. Sweden. · Holland. Switzerland. . Honduras, (Br.) Tasmania. United Kingdom. . Iceland. United States. Victoria. • Italy. Western Australia. · Lagos. West Indie: (British, Daniela, and Dutch) 2.—Orders on the countries marked are forwarded through the London Post Office, and are paid less a small discount of about 2d, in the £1.

for which the remitter should allow. All such orders must be expressed in British currency. 3.—The Hongkong Post Office also issues orders on Shanghai, and vice verse. 4.—The commission charged is as follows (according to the currency the order is drawn in.) Up to £10, or \$50, or 100 Rupees 0.80 center - 150 Rupces\$1.00.

5,-No order must exceed £10 or \$50 (unless drawn on India, when 150 rupees is the limit) nor will more than two such orders be issued to the same person, in favour of the same payee, 6.—Money orders on the United Kingdom for sums not exceeding £5 are granted by means of Postal Notes, as to which see separate notice or the Hongkong Postal Guide.

7.—Sums not exceeding \$50 may be remitted between the ports of China by means of Postage stamps, subject to a charge of one per cent. for cashing them; or money orders can be granted at Hongkong or Shanghai on ports where there are Agencies of the Hongkong Post Office. General Post Office,

Hongkong, January 1st, 1885. ◆ Small remittances can be made to these places by cieans of Poetal Notes, See separate notice or the Postal Gulde,

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| Quotations are: | FOR SALE! | PANY, LIMITED. | COTTON GOODS. | Blankets, 13 los., per pair | .\$13,50 to 14.00 Cardamo | one, Sanarior | 00 Ping Troop Joans, por pioni. \$211 to 220 |
| Malwa (New) \$540 per picul, allee. of 1-to [cattie] Malwa (Old) \$550 | AMOY. WITH OR WITHOUT INVENTORY: | HEAD OFFICE-Hongkong. | American Brille, Itiba, nor nigge 13 | 95 to 110 Camieta, S. per piece | .\$11,50 to 15,00 Coals, Ad \$16,50 to 17,00 Coals, Re | float, per ton: | Potatoo Plour, per picule Anne a mari salas, es anne |
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| Benares (New) 595 | Amoy, 5th January, 1885. [125 | BOARD OF DIRECTORS. LUM SIN SANG, Esq. BAN Hul, Esq. Yow Chong Peng, Esq. | Cotton Yarn, Bombay | To 73.00 Long Ella, M. M. Agaorted per piece | \$6.65 to 7.70 Copper. | Naile, per picul | 1.80 Rice, Siam, milled No. 1, per picul \$1.61 to 1.65 |
| EXCHANGE. ON LONDON.— Bank Bills, on demand | H A M P A G N E | CHAN LICHOY, Esq. Q. Hot Chung, Esq. | Dved Spotted Shirtings, per piece \$3 | 60 to 8.85 Long Ella, H.H. Asserted, per piscs | \$6.65 to 6.70 Cotton | Bombay, per pical | 30 Rice Seigen, No. L, per picul |
| Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight 3/64 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/71 | "MONOPOLE SEC" (DRY). | The Company GRANTS POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World, | English Drills, 30 vards, per piece \$2 English Drills, 14 lbs., per piece | .55 to 2.55 Spanish Stripes; peryard | Gotton, S. Cotton, S. Cotton, S. | | Rice, Saigon, Straw bags |
| Credits, at 4 months' sight | CARLOWITZ & Co., Sole Agents; | payable at any of its Agencies. Contributory Dividends are payable to all Contributors of Business, whether they are | - 1 1 1 2 N.D. 12 N.D. 12 D. 1 | 255 to 1.33 Trees Trees was stort | 12.65 to 2.70 Cotton, \$2.85 to 3.10 Cotton 3 | Quada Quiana | Seawood, Green, per picul |
| on Paris.— | Heidsleck & Co., Reims. Hongkong, 1st July, 1881. [1240] | Shareholders or not. WOO LIN YUEN. | Grey Shirtings, B? Ibs., per piece \$1 Grey Shirtings, 9 lbs., per piece \$2 | 196 to 2.23 Fron, Wire, per picul | \$3.30 to 8.85 Cotton 9 \$0.25 to 6.85 Outtlefis | Seeds, Siam | 1.30 Sestman, Black, per picul |
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| On Calcutta.—Bank, 3 days' sight 2204 On Shanghai.— | THE GOODWILL in Hongkong and | No. 2, Queen's Road West, Hongkong, 14th March, 1881. | Gray T. Clotha, 31 yda, &32 in. 7 lba. p. pe. \$1 Gray T. Clotha, 24 yda 36 in 8 lba. XO p. pe. \$1 | .85 to 1.70 Opiokailyer, English, per pical | \$55.00 to \$5.20 Dried Li | ily Flowers | Straits Produce, &c.,— |
| Hank, sight 724 Private, 30 days' sight 734 | Business of LINEN DRAPERS, SILK MERCER, MILLINERS and MER | THE SCOTTISH UNION & NATIONAL | GreyT.Cloths,21yds36in8lbs.VVp.pe. 53 | 1.45 to 2.50 Steel, English, por tub | # \$3.65 to 8.75 Clephan | at's Teeth, 7 to 8 pieces | Rotel. Vut. per picul |
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| per cent. premium. Union Insurance Society of Canton; Limited- | ME. B. B. D. SAYLE, | Company, are authorized to INSURE against FIRE at Current Rates | Handkerchiefs, Light Red, per dozen \$ | 0.66 to 0.78 Tin. Plates, per Sor | \$1,90 to 4.95 Enngue | American, per barrel of 200 lbs \$6.3 to 6 | 10.00 Sandal Wood Walshar per pioni \$2. 6 to . 0 |
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| Yangtsze Iusurance Association—Tis: 135 postare, | Hongkong, 13th January, 1885. [169 | THE Undersigned. Agents for the above | White Shirtings, 64 to 66 rood, per piece 3: White Shirtings, 68 to 80 reed, per piece 3: | 2.15 to 2.36 Bank, Camphor, per picul | \$30.00 to 55.00 Homp. | Siam, per pioul | 12.00 Sugar Shekdung, Brown, per picul \$4.25 to 4.30 11.00 Sugar Candy, Shekdung, per picul \$7.7 to 7.90 7.00 Sugar Candy, Foochow, per picul \$8. 5 to 8.60 |
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| \$3621 per sbare. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares—\$ per share Buyers. | Just arrived Per "GLENFALLOCH." LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong, 5th November, 1884. | UEEN FIRE INSURANCE | | # HPP | ING. IN THE CH | HINA WATERS. | |
| Hongkong and Whampon Dock Company Shares—53 per cent. prem. Bayers. | | COMPANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above Com- | VESSELS. CRIVA: APTAIN | AND RIG. TONS. SOVERED SE. | DESTINA TION. VI | | DRIG. TONS CONSIGNEES. TION. |
| Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co Shares—\$331 per share premium. | 's AT WHOLESALE PRICES. | pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS on First-class Godowns at 1 per Cent. Nett pre- | | TOTOZOZO | | | |
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| China and Manila Steamship Company, Limit —30 per cent. discount. Douglas Steamship Company, Limited—Pa | In case of 1 dozen quarts. | THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED. | | Brit. str 1392 D. Bassoon, Sons & Co Brit. str 1049 Arnhold, Karberg & Co | Calcutta Alma | July & Boyd Am | n. soh 99 F. Relz n. soh 43 I. D. Carroll & Co nr. bk 670 P. Bohm |
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| sharo. | ALE, BASS & Co., PALE—Qts. and Pts. or STOUT, GUINNESS'S EXTRA—Qts. and Pts. | A Agents for the above Company, are pro- | City of Tokio Jan. 9 J. Manry | Ger. str 643 ling Lea & Co Amr. str 3129 P. M. S. S. Co Brit. str 650 Arnhold, Karbarg & Co | S. Francisco Hans | n Nov. 9 Smith Brit Ang. 24 Thomson Ger | if. sch 215 A. Chric or. bk. 313 J. W. P. I nov. |
| snare. China Sugar Refining Company, Limited—I | W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co., | RISKS to all parts of the World, at current | De Bay Jan. 10 J. J. Lee Djemaah J. n. 10 Leequerre | Brit, str 1083 Alamion, Bell & Co Fr. str 2431 Massageries Maritimes | Mary | C. Bohm Nov. 23 Baade Ger | it, sh 1193 L. Illies & Co or, soh 48 P. Roha or, soh 283 Frosser & Co |
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| Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited —3 per share, Sellers. | FOR SALE. | TIVERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. | Printing in 15. 10000 | Brit, str 1399 Jurdine, Matheson & C Brit, str 227 Alamson, Bell & Co Brit str 223 Buttarial & Swin | o London. Penele | lope Oct. 11 Van Pelt Bri nesian Oct. 11 MacArthur Bri | it. sh 1296 Grosser & Co |
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| Hongkong and China Bakery Company, Limit —\$110 per share. Perak, Tin Mining and Smelting Compa | \$19 per case of 1 dozen quarts. | GRANT POLICIES upon First-class Risks to the estent of £15,000, at the Reduced Tarif | | Brit. str — Patra & (). Brit. str 898 Butterfield & Swire | Wm. | | mr. sh / 1644 Saith Bikar & Co |
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| Perale Sugar Cultivation Company—Tis. 35 y share. | S12per case of 1 dozen quarts. | Hongkong, 11th May, 1881. [14] MPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM | King-ning — Holmes | Rus, str 703 H. G. H. Tripp American 360 Russell & 30 Brit. str 1061 T. C. & M. Stermoork C | | odbertus Dec. 10 Ger | r. bk 570 C. Mackanzia & Co Boston |
| Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, I mited—\$60 per share. Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881—I per cent. d | \$9.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. | PANY. The Undersigned, Agents for the above | - Kumgemer - S.W. Gogg | in Brit. str 299 H.C.& M. Staumbout C Brit. str 862 Yuan Fat Hong | Cantou Evano | iell Nov. 29 Am | rit. sh 1193 Smith, Bell & Co nr. bk 513 Smith, Bell & Co nr. bk 613 W. F. Stevenson & Co |
| | S7.50 per case of 1 dozen quarts. S8.50 per case of 2 dozen pints. | Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any | S Litertes Jan. 15 R. F. Scale y Madras Jan. 9 H. Plen e | Brit. str 1391 Jardine, Mataeson & C Brit. str 1007 Siem sea & Co | London Legon Windo | adia Ott. Bri | rit. bk 896 Macleo I & Co nr. sh 1021 Ker & Co Besten |
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| (FROM MESSES, FACCOMES & Co.'s Recistre.) January 15th Chara-matter -v a w | S6 per case of 2 dozen pints. ALSO | RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS REDUCED to 3 PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUA FROM THIS DATE. | | Jap. str 553 Adamson, Bell & Co Brit. str 1554 Jardine, Matheson & Co Jap. str 1184 Adamson, Bell & Co | | atian niv 26 Bri | eit. bk 797 Master ft. sh 1193 Enforcement & Co St. Helens eit. bk 771 W. F. Stepenson & Co St. Helens |
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| ### Thermometer — 1 x, x, r Wet build: | Hongkong, 1st January, 1884: | Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. | Niugpo Jan. 11 W.S. Potts Olympia Jan. 11 Christiause Patroolus Dec. 24 R. J. Brow | n Gec. str 783 Sie ussen & Co | Shanghai Agend | or Dec. 6 And | IN PORT ON MET DECEMBER, 1884. ur. sh 1487 Pasis, Hubball & Co U. States |
| Thermometer Marinum | STEEL PENS. | NOTICE. | Powan — Lefavour Propontis Jan. 6 G. Heasley | Brit. str. 1842 H. C. & M. Stinguor C | Canton Tookir | | nr. sh 1450 Smith, Bell & C) mr. sh -1193 Smith, Bell & Co Buston |
| HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE. | GOLD MEDAL, | PANY, LIMITED, Is prepared to ACCEPT FIRST-CLASS | Sea Gull — Lesbirei | Brit. str 252 A. R. Marty Amr. str 48 C. Tralers' Insurance C | | HER BUILDANTE VICTESOTE | S SHIPS IN THE CHINA SQUADRON. |
| 16th to 22sd Jabuart, 1886. | PARIS, 1878. Sold by all | RISKS at \\ \frac{1}{2}\ \gamma_5\ nott per Annum, and other IN surances at Current Rates. | | Brit. str 1109 Butterfield & Swire | Sydney, &c. | NAME. RIG | GUNS H.P. CAPTAIN. WHERE AT |
| High Water, Low Water. | Stationers and Dealers. [94] | Agencies at all the Treaty Ports of Chinand Japan, and at Singapore, Saigon, Penang | The Wist Dec. 22 Owston S. | Brit. str 166 Pustau & Co | | atross serew sloop lacious double-serew icon frigate | 4 840 Com. Hicks Korea 14 4330 Captain Pearson Rongkong |
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